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Germans Protest Allies Loading Peace Treaty With Conditions Beyond Wilson's 14 Points

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—If the allies loaded the peace treaty with conditions going beyond President Wilson's 14 points the German national assembly would have to refuse its assent to the treaty, Mathias Erzberger, head of the German armistice commission, declared in an address at a Berlin meeting in favoring the formation of a real League of Nations, according to a Berlin despatch today. The matter then would be left to a referendum of the German nation, he said.

He disclaimed any obligation upon Germany to give compensation for acts she committed after her first peace offer in December, 1916.

He declared that the only means of calling a halt on Bolshevism was the abandonment of the "mailed fist policy of the allies," according to the despatch. The German people, he said, had almost unlimited confidence in President Wilson and he hoped that the League of Nations covenant as promulgated on Feb. 14, would not be finally adopted, as he declared it was a compromise of the ideals of President Wilson with the imperialistic aspirations of some of the allies. President Wilson, Erzberger said, was under obligations to advocate the immediate admission of Germany to the league.

He asserted that Germany was prepared to accept the vote of Alsace-Lorraine as to its future, but he re-

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BIG GAINS FOR LETTISH TROOPS

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—Lettish troops have advanced towards Mitau and have captured the towns of Kandau and Zabeln, according to an official statement issued by the Lettish headquarters. Bolsheviki in northwestern Courland are threatened with having their retreat to Mitau cut off. They reported to be retiring in a panic.

A despatch received here from Berlin, quotes Liban advices to the effect that the Bolsheviki have been seriously defeated in the district between Kovno and Vilna and that the important railroad running from Koshedary to Schaulen has been captured.

STOCKHOLM, Sunday, Mar. 16.—The Letts have captured Shagory, Grenzhof, Weitenfeld and Alt Autz. The Lettish war minister has left the English military mission at Liban and has gone to the front according to a Liban despatch received here.

DARING BANDITS MAKE CLEAN-UP

NEW YORK, March 17.—Four men in an automobile spent the early hours today robbing people and cash registers in busy sections of the city. At a saloon at Seventh avenue and 129th street, they held up the proprietor and all his customers. A few blocks away they stopped a citizen in the street and robbed him. A little later they entered a Broadway restaurant and stole all the money possessed by the manager, the cook and the patrons. In all, the bandits obtained $225 in cash and $100 worth of jewelry.

In each instance, one man remained in the machine and kept the motor running, another stood watch nearby and the other two men did the robbing.

LIQUOR LICENSES HAVE RENEWAL CLAUSE

Clerk Flaherty of the license commission reports that so far about 12 applications for liquor licenses have been taken out. March 25, or a week from tomorrow, has been set as the final date for the filing of applications with the board, which means that the office of the commission will be a busy place from now on. The applications call for a license to sell intoxicating liquors for two months, May and June, the said license to become effective May 1. But they contain a provision which calls for a renewal, providing the war time prohibition, which is to go into effect July 1 is rescinded.

973 STATE BANKS IN FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM HAVE RESOURCES OF $7,332,801,000

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Sixteen state banks admitted to the federal reserve system in February raised the total roll of state bank members to 973, with total capital of $552,817,000, surplus of $403,812,000, and total resources of $7,332,801,000.

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Three Arrests in Lawrence Strike

LAWRENCE, March 17.—Several minor disturbances in which three arrests were made, marked the opening of the seventh week of the textile workers' strike here today. Pickets appeared in the vicinity of the mill gates and approaches more numerously than in recent days, and pursued their activities in a sleet storm. One of the men arrested was Frank Ribaude, a discharged soldier, who was in uniform and who, the police said, had attempted to create a disturbance by calling to a crowd to pull a mounted officer from his horse.

To Determine Right To Fix Phone Rates

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Authority of Postmaster General Burleson to increase telephone rates throughout the country is to be determined by the supreme court, which today granted the state of Kansas permission to institute original proceedings against the postmaster general, questioning the validity of his order of Dec. 13 last establishing new toll rates.

The court ordered that a return be made in the case at the next term in October.

GEN. EDWARDS COMING HERE FRIDAY

Major General Clarence R. Edwards will come to Lowell next Friday, according to definite assurances which Mayor Perry D. Thompson received today from the officer's aide in Boston. The famous commander of the 26th Division will arrive in Lowell about 5 o'clock in the afternoon and will come from Boston by motor. He will go directly to city hall where a public reception, probably in the aldermanic chamber, will be held for an hour or so. Everybody who wishes, is invited to meet the general personally at that time.

Following the reception General Edwards will be the guest of Mayor Thompson at dinner and later in the evening will be escorted to the state armory in Westford street by the local members of the Spanish American War Veterans, of which he is a member, and the Lowell companies of the state guard.

He is scheduled to speak at the armory at 8 o'clock and the doors will be open an hour earlier. His address, of course, will have to do with the exploits of the famous division of which he was the commander and he will make an effort to tell of the part which Lowell men played in the world conflict as members of this gallant outfit.

Mayor Thompson has received a request from the general's aide that all Lowell men who served in the 26th Division and who are now in Lowell should send their names to his office as soon as possible. The general wishes to know them.

More detailed plans as to the general's visit to Lowell will be forthcoming later in the week.

WOMAN DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Mrs. Hanna Barrett of 126 Epping street died at St. John's hospital at 12.30 o'clock this afternoon as a result of an accident, which occurred at her home this forenoon. Mrs. Barrett lost her balance while going down a flight of stairs which led to the cellar and received a fracture of the skull. The ambulance was summoned and the woman was rushed to St. John's hospital, but medical attendance proved of no avail.

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YOUNG MEN ASSAULT LIQUOR DEALER

As a result of a brutal assault, which occurred early Sunday morning in Fletcher city at a point near the city stables, Michael J. Casserly, a member of the firm of E. F. Brady & Co., liquor dealers in Fletcher street, is confined to his bed at his home, 15 Phillips street, suffering from a bad laceration of the chin and bruises about the right leg and hip. His condition is not serious, but it may be a week or so before he will be able to be about again.

Henry F. Whalen, a soldier recently discharged from the army, has been arrested in connection with the assault, while it is understood the police are looking for another young man, who, it is alleged, was connected with the assault. It is also claimed that the latter has seen service in the army and recently returned from France. Whalen was arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of assault and battery. There was no plea en-

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DEATH CLAIMS FATHER AND BABY BOY

Joseph U. Tessier, aged 31 years, a well known resident of this city, died this morning at 1.30 o'clock at his home, 479 Moody street, from pneumonia, while his infant son, Armand, aged 5 months, breathed his last an hour later, death in this case also being due to pneumonia.

Mr. Tessier is survived by his bereaved wife, Parmelia; two daughters, Gabrielle and Gertrude; his father, Edouard Tessier; four brothers, Felix of the Jesuit seminary in Montreal, Jean Louis, Jean and Romeo of this city; three sisters, Rev. Sister St. Felix of Manchester, N. H., Rev. Sister St. Marguerite Marie of the O.M.I. novitiate at Tewksbury and Miss Lucia Tessier of this city. He was a member of the Third Order of St. Francis of St. Joseph's parish and the Carmen Painters' union.

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SEVERE DEFEAT FOR BOLSHEVIKI

Attempt To Cut Line Between Dvina and Vaga Columns Fails

Allies Frustrate Attempt—Reds Suffer Heavy Losses, Say American Officers

ARCHANGEL, Saturday, March 15.—(By The Associated Press)—The futile attack which the Bolsheviki delivered yesterday on the allied and American forces comprised the first serious attempt to cut the line of communications of the Dvina and Vaga columns. The Bolsheviki forces suffered a severe defeat with heavy losses.

Moving from the Kadish-Tarezvo sector, the first battalion of the sixth soviet regiment, 500 strong, attacked at 1.45 o'clock in the afternoon, the allied positions in the village of Gorka, which is 25 miles north of Beresnik at the junction of the Vaga and the Dvina. The American-Russian detachment at Gorka was well entrenched and it decisively repulsed the enemy, capturing five prisoners and five machine guns. After the attack the bodies of 57 Bolsheviki were found.

The allied force suffered only one casualty, a man wounded.

The Vaga section in the vicinity of Kitsa, is quiet, as are the other fronts.

American officers who returned today from the Vaga front declared that the Bolsheviki sustained exceedingly heavy losses last week. They related one particular instance of such losses to the correspondent. It occurred after the enemy had razed with artillery fire, nearly all the blockhouses in Vistavka. All the defensive troops withdrew, with the exception of a squad of Americans who lay concealed in a partially destroyed blockhouse, with machine guns. The enemy scouts advanced and were allowed to cut the barbed wire entanglements. On doing this they shouted back to their comrades that the village had been abandoned.

When the first column of the Bolshevik walked unsuspectingly up to the entanglements the Americans inside the blockhouse turned their machine guns loose and mowed down the entire enemy party. After this the defensive forces went back into Vistavka.

Of the total of 36 Americans listed as missing since the beginning of hostilities on this front, it has been reported that 10 are prisoners in the Bolshevik hospital at Velsk. This information was given an American Red Cross field worker, who questioned Bolshevik deserters on the Vaga front.

DEADLOCK IN NEW YORK HARBOR STRIKE

NEW YORK, March 17.—Private boat owners and their employes remained in deadlock today with little prospect that a compromise agreement could be reached for a settlement of the harbor strike. The refusal of the boat owners to meet delegations of the men or their union leaders who were present was met with a counter refusal on the part of the harbormen to join in a conference attended by the counsel for the boat owners' associatiein. The men have offered to settle with the owners on the same basis as they did with the war and navy departments and the shipping board.

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State to Vote $300,000 For Reception and Parade of 26th Division

BOSTON, March 17.—Governor Coolidge in a special message to the legislature today, asked for a "generous appropriation" for the reception and parade in this city of the 26th (Yankee) Division. The amount to be asked will be $300,000 and legislative leaders at a conference with the governor today agreed to report favorably a bill for that amount. It is expected to have the bill enacted tomorrow, and the money made immediately available, under suspension of rules.

After Representative Frederic C. Nicholls and other members of the joint legislative committee on entertainment of the returning heroes of the 26th had discussed the plans for the celebration with the governor, he announced further details of the program. It is proposed to house the entire division of 26,000 men at the army supply base and Commonwealth pier, in South Boston, and $100,000 of the state appropriation will be devoted to improving these quarters. Families of the soldiers who are expected from all parts of New England, and visiting delegations from states, cities and towns, will be given accommodations on grandstands and bleachers, two miles of which will be erected along the line of march at a cost estimated at $150,000.

The route of the parade will be 13 miles long and the division, marching in fighting trim and with much of its equipment, will take more than four hours to pass a given point.

The division, which is to go to Camp Devens after debarkation, will be in this city in whole or in part for five days in connection with the celebration. One-half of the division is to be brought up on each of the two days immediately preceding the day of the parade, and will be returned in the same order the two days following the parade. This arrangement was made necessary, because transfer of the entire division in one day would cripple transportation facilities to such a degree that the extensive demand for transportation from New England points to Boston for the occasion could not be accommodated.

No set social event has been planned as yet for the night of the day on which the parade will be held, but the committee in charge has arranged that every member of the division who wishes may see the baseball games at Braves Field or attend a theatre at any time during their stay here.

To the state's $300,000 appropriation will be added the appropriation from the city of Boston, and other cities of New England which have sizable units in the 26th will be asked by the committee on arrangements to make further contributions.

Governor Coolidge in his message, estimated that it would cost the war department more than $1,000,000 to bring the Yankee division here for the parade which is expected to take place between April 24 and 30. The presence of all governors of the New England states and probably some cabinet members was predicted by the governor.

SETTLEMENT BY CHINA

Government Accepts Suggestion Made by America on Monocacy Incident

PEKING, March 17.—(By the Associated Press)—The Chinese government has accepted the suggestions made by the American government in its note of March 6 for the settlement of the Monocacy incident.

The incident occurred on Jan. 17 of last year, when the American gunboat Monocacy was steaming up the Yang Tse-Kiang river. At a point about 50 miles above Yochow Chinese troops fired on the vessel without warning. Some 100 shots hit the Monocacy. Chief Yeoman H. L. O'Brien received wounds from which he died within an hour, and Seamen Ferguson and W. M. Donnelly were slightly injured. Under the settlement, the widow of Chief Yeoman O'Brien receives an indemnity of $25,000 gold, while Seamen Ferguson and Donnelly receive $500 each.

The firing on the gunboat is attributed here to the Chinese troops becoming panic stricken at the approach of the war vessel.

PROTEST AGAINST TWO-PLATOON SYSTEM

BOSTON, Mar. 17.—The Boston finance commission today submitted to the state senate, a message opposing the bill for a two-platoon system in fire departments of cities and towns of the state. The question involved the message says, is one that should be decided by each municipality as a matter of local government and not on a referendum. Boston firemen who now have 121 days off a year, would perform day duty 175 days and night duty 175 days under the proposed measure, according to the commission.

STRIKE WITHOUT FILING DEMANDS

NEW YORK, March 17.—Three hundred and fifty of a force of 150 employes of the American Balsa Co., lifeboat manufacturers engaged extensively on government work, struck at the plant in Long Island city today. Though the men filed no demands, the management stated its belief they wanted higher pay. The strikers were largely ironworkers.

ASSIGNED FOR EARLY RETURN

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Assignment to early convoy home of the 82nd Division (Georgia, Alabama and Florida national army) was announced today in a cablegram from Gen. Pershing. Other units assigned included army ambulance sections Nos. 570, 609, 521, 530, 569, 599, 602 and 601.

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MONARCHIST REACTION

Ebert Government Merely Puppets, Says Berlin Writer—Predicts New Outbreak

LONDON, March 17.—Despatches from Berlin report that the suppression of the recent Spartacan outbreak has shown that a military and monarchist reaction is growing and overshadowing the new government.

The Berlin correspondent of the Mail, who on February 27 sent a despatch outlining plans for a monarchist uprising in Germany, has arrived in London, having left Berlin on March 14 after a residence of three months. He reiterates the statements made in his despatch, that President Ebert, Chancellor Scheidemann, and Minister of War Noske, are merely puppets. He declares that for the purpose of retaining power, they have allowed members of the military caste to reappear as organizers of the new republican armies.

"These men are the real governors of Germany," he says. "They make the edicts and Chancellor Scheidemann and his colleagues willingly sign them."

Similar testimony is given by other correspondents in telegraphing from Berlin, some stating that the capture of the suburbs of Lichtenberg has been intentionally prolonged with a view to exterminating the Spartacans, whose treatment at the hands of government troops is said to be sharply condemned. While atrocities are attributed to the Spartacans, details which have been given are doubted or denied. Even the Vorwaerts admits them to be much exaggerated. The correspondents concur in the statement that extreme bitterness has been created against the government troops and that further trouble is inevitable.

According to a despatch to the Mail, the Spartacan revolt will certainly recur in ever-increasing force, unless a miracle happens. It adds that Herr Noske's forces have been recruited by bribes and promises of big rations and that to this may be attributed some of the food shortage in Berlin.

Order Withdrawn

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—The order issued by Gustav Noske, the German minister of war, for the execution of persons possessing arms and fighting against the government, has been withdrawn, according to a Berlin despatch received here.

O'LEARY CASE NEAR END

Indications That It Will Go to the Jury by Wednesday—Closing Arguments

NEW YORK, March 17.—The trial of Jeremiah A. O'Leary, charged with violation of the espionage act by reason of his alleged seditious utterances and writings, entered upon its eighth week today with indications that it would be in the hands of the jury by Wednesday.

After Judge A. N. Hand, presiding, announced that attorneys for the government and the defense would each be entitled to nine hours in which to argue their cases, Assistant District Attorney James W. Osborne 2nd, began summing up for the prosecution.

The defendant, who had testified that all his speeches and writings were the result of an intense love of Ireland, wore a sprig of green in his buttonhole in honor of St. Patrick's day.

FUNERAL NOTICES

MERRILL—Osborn Merrill died at his home, 165 Bridge street this afternoon, aged 87 years, 10 months and 12 days. He leaves one daughter, Miss Addie B. Merrill and one son, Fred O. Merrill, both of Lowell. Funeral services will be held at his home, 165 Bridge street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

PERSHING SAYS GOOD-BYE TO 42ND DIVISION

COBLENZ, Sunday, March 16.—(By the Associated Press)—General Pershing said good-bye to the boys of the 42nd division today. In a farewell address to the troops of the Rainbow unit who are preparing to start for home the first week in April, he wished them all good luck in the peaceful occupations into which they will go on the other side of the Atlantic.

The inspection and review of the division took place in a great field near Remagenon, on the west bank of the Rhine.

General Pershing spoke to more than 20,000 after the Rainbow division passed the reviewing stand in massed formation. From the heights across the river, hundreds of German civilians assembled and watched the review through field glasses. General Pershing spoke from the rear of a wagon with the soldiers gathered about him.

Before his address he presented one congressional medal of honor, two distinguished service medals and 46 distinguished services crosses to officers and men of the division. The medal of honor was pinned by General Pershing on Corporal Sidney Manning of the 167th Infantry for leading his platoon during an attack on the Ourcq after its commanders had fallen. Despite wounds he led the men forward and gained and held an important position in the face of terrific enemy fire. All but seven members of the platoon were killed or wounded. Manning himself was wounded nine times in this attack. When the United States entered the war, he was a farmer boy near Brewton, Ala.

The distinguished service medals went to Brigadier General Douglas MacArthur and Col. William Hughes, Jr.

This morning General Pershing inspected the troops of the Third Corps near Vallendar.

After the review of the 42nd Division, he came by autombile to Coblenz where he had dinner with Major General Dickman, commander of the army of occupation. In several villages along the way, German civilians greeted him with shouts of "Hoch Pershing!"

His visit to the area of occupation was advertised by the Germans in their newspapers and otherwies.

HOOVER IN CHARGE OF FOOD FOR ENEMIES

BASLE, Sunday, March 16.—The inter-allied food commission which has been conducting negotiations at Vienna has reached an agreement by which German-Austria will receive five convoys of grain daily by way of Trieste, according to advices received here.

A credit of $30,000,000 has been arranged to carry out the agreement. Herbert Hoover, chairman of the supreme food council, will be charged with the administration of the agreement.

SMALLER HERRING CATCH

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 17.—Newfoundland's winter herring fishery, now ended for the season, resulted in a catch smaller than that of last year. Approximately 38,000 barrels were taken, more than one half of the catch coming from Notre Dame Bay. Fishermen in the Bay of Islands district caught 10,000 barrels and Bonne Bay contributed 500.

COCCHI TRIAL POSTPONED

BOLOGNA, Italy, March 17.—Alfred Cocchi, charged with the killing of Ruth Cruger in New York in 1917, will not be tried on March 31, as had been planned. The trial has been postponed indefinitely. The reason given is a further investigation.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either newsstand in the North station.

THE BEAUTY AND IDEALS OF IRISH LYRIC

Rarely have the spirit beauty and ideals of Irish lyric been more splendidly portrayed and more eloquently enhanced than they were last evening in Lincoln hall, when Denis A. McCarthy, editor, poet and lecturer, at the invitation of the local branch of the League of Catholic Women, entertained fully the people by readings from his own works and reminiscent recitations of charming anecdotes of native Erin.

Mr. McCarthy has just concluded an overseas term of service with the Knights of Columbus and is now on a tour of this section of the United States. He knows Ireland with the complete knowledge of the observant native and to this gift of observance he has added that of keen poetic insight and a charming platform presence. With this triumvirate of qualifications he had no difficulty in delighting last evening's audience.

The evening's entertainment was in entire accord with the ideals of the lecturer. The quartet of St. Michael's church, Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy, Miss Harriet Griffin and Thomas Boylan, accompanied by Miss Ella M. Reilly, soprano of St. Michael's, preceded Mr. McCarthy in a concert of Irish music that formed a fitting and harmonious prelude to the evening's lecture. Miss Reilly also entertained well with piano selections.

Mr. McCarthy took special delight in telling of his own home near "Slievenamon," "The Mountain of Fair Women" in Tipperary. All of the poet's aspirations seemed to find birth in the happy experiences of his youth and ever was the spirit of Ballinderry, his home district, paramount in his readings. Sometimes he drew upon the almost unsatiable desire in his breast once more to return to his homeland and his audience was duly impressed; at other times he would gleefully recall the lighter phases of his youth, with an almost seholastic care-freeness and there would follow happy sympathy on the part of his listeners.

Mr. McCarthy said that Ireland was primarily a land of poets and dreamers and that his mission was to help bring back the memories of olden days. He felt that people should have nothing but the greatest respect for Irish poetry and songs and that the inspiration left by the old poets should find welcome reception in the hearts of the sons and daughters of Ireland. He pleaded that his own poems were nothing more than a mere revelation of himself. He then read "'Tis Sweet in Tipperary in the Springtime of the Year," a poem written when he was leaving Tipperary for what he thought would be the last time, "The Fields of Ballinderry," "The Town of Ballydare," and various other poems expressed his love and longing for his homeland. The poem dedicated to the passing of the Grand Army men expressed his loyalty to America.

The following young ladies, members of the League of Catholic Women, were the ushers of the evening: The Misses Elizabeth Kerwin, Catherine Carmichael, Dorothy Reardon, Georgia Keith, Catherine Gallagher, Anna Maguire, Ethel Enright, Cherie Downey and Betty Haggerty. Mrs. James Carmichael presided.

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HONOR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

The soldier and sailor employes of the local postoffice, who recently returned from the service were tendered a reception Saturday evening at Elks hall in Middle street by their brethren from the department and a feature of the event was the presence of veterans of four wars, all employes of the postoffice. As a side issue to the reception the presentation of a handsome Morris chair was made to Joseph P. Meehan, who recently resigned his position as superintendent of delivery at the postoffice.

The employes of the department honored at the reception were Arthur McLean, Harry Heelon, William J. Bowden, Joseph McCarron and Sergt. Edward J. Lynch, who served in the army and Edward J. Nelligan, who was connected with the navy. Other veterans in attendance were Charles A. Holden, George L. Adams and Charles W. Nevers, Civil war; Henry Gray, Indian wars; George S. Howard, Victor Turnquist, Joseph Meehan, Ancel Wentworth and Arthur J. Brown, Spanish war.

The evening's festivities were presided over by President George L. Hunt of the Letter Carriers' association and those who took part in the musical program were Fred Campbell, Thure Gillinson, David Mahoney, Timothy Finnegan, David Dwyer, David Martin, Charles A. Carey, John F. Roane, J. B. A. Lebrun and Romeo Couture. The program was under the direction of David P. Martin and the accompanist was Robert Fay. Remarks were also made by President Hickson of the Clerks' association and Sergt. Lynch, the latter giving an account of his experiences in France.

Luncheon was served by Maurice H. Powers, assisted by George Gemmell, Edward H. Welch, James Custer, Henry L. Thomas, Harry Lee, David Dwyer, Wallace Haley and John P. Sheehan. The party broke up with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly.

The largest association of British veterans of the great war is known as the "Fodads." The name is "Federation of Discharged and Demobilized Soldiers and Sailors."

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News of the Churches

St. Patrick's day was fittingly observed by the local Catholic churches today. In many of them a high mass was celebrated this morning and special services will be held in all of them this evening. All the parochial schools of the city were closed in honor of the occasion.

The mission given by the Jesuit fathers at St. Patrick's church for the women closed yesterday afternoon and a week's mission for the men opened in the evening.

The usual Lenten services are being conducted in all the churches and large congregations are in attendance daily.

St. Patrick's

Members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Ladies' Auxiliary received communion at the 8 o'clock mass at St. Patrick's church yesterday. The celebrant was Rev. James J. Kerrigan and he was assisted in giving communion by Rev. John Walsh, S. J., and Rev. John Fitzpatrick, S. J. A large number of women received communion at the early masses. Rev. Joseph A. Curtin celebrated the high mass at 11 and the preacher was Rev. Frederick Boehm, S. J. At 5 o'clock this morning a high mass was celebrated and Rev. Fr. Boehm, S. J., gave a sermon on St. Patrick. The women's mission came to a close yesterday afternoon with services at 2 and 4. Rev. Fr. Walsh, S. J., officiated at the first service and Rev. Charles McIntire, S. J., at the second. The men's mission opened last evening at 7.30 and both the upper and lower churches were used. Masses will be said each morning this week at 6, 7 and 8 o'clock. The 5 and 8 o'clock masses will be followed by instructions. Evening services will be at 7.30. Next Sunday afternoon the babies of the parish will be blessed.

At the 8.30 o'clock mass yesterday a special musical program was carried out and one of the features was the singing of the Sacred Heart church choir quartet. Miss Katharine Sharkey, Miss Elizabeth Finnegan, John McMahon and George Kerwin make up the quartet and among their numbers were "Pie Jesu," "Ave Maris Stella," by Abbott; "O Salutaris," by Thomas; "Divine Praises," by Proctor; "Jesu Vive," by Verdi, and the "Hail, Glorious Apostles." John J. Kelty, director of the Sacred Heart choir, played a concert program of Irish airs on the organ.

Immaculate Conception

Rev. James E. Duffy of the Engineer Corps at Washington barracks, Washington, D. C., celebrated the high mass at the Immaculate Conception church yesterday. The pastor, Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O.M.I., was the preacher. Members of the Third Order of St. Francis and the junior branch of the Children of Mary received communion at the 8 o'clock mass. The celebrant was Rev. James B. McCartin, O.M.I., and the pastor assisted in giving communion. A high mass in observance of St. Patrick's day was celebrated this morning at 8 o'clock.

The celebrant of this morning's high mass at 9 o'clock was Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I., and the regular choir of the church was augmented by the following soloists: Prof. P. P. Haggerty, Miss Theresa Slattery and William H. O'Connell, who sang the hymn to St. Patrick in splendid voice. Last evening Rev. Fr. Duffy delivered a panegyric on St. Patrick at services which began at 6.30. A special musical program was carried out at this service also. Mrs Hugh Walker was the accompanist at both services.

St. Peter's

Members of the Mathew Temperance Institute received communion in a body at the 7.30 o'clock mass at St. Peter's church yesterday. The pastor, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph.D., was the celebrant and Rev. Peter Linehan assisted in giving communion. Rev. Francis L. Shea celebrated the high mass and Rev. Fr. Linehan delivered a sermon on St. Patrick. The usual Wednesday evening Lenten services will be held this evening. The girls of the parish will receive communion at the 8.30 o'clock mass next Sunday.

Sacred Heart

At the 8 o'clock mass at the Sacred Heart church yesterday members of the Holy Angels sodality received communion in a body. Very Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., was the celebrant and Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., the pastor, assisted in giving communion. Rev. William Mahan, O.M.I., sang the high mass at 11 and the pastor preached the sermon. A high mass was celebrated this morning at 8 o'clock in observance of St. Patrick's day.

St. Michael's

At the 8 o'clock mass at St. Michael's church yesterday members of the Immaculate Conception sodality received communion in a body. Rev. Francis J. Mullin was the celebrant. Rev. James P. Lynch celebrated the parish mass and Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, was the preacher. This morning a mass was celebrated at 8.30 in observance of St. Patrick's day.

St. Margaret's

The pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan, celebrated the parish mass at St. Margaret's church yesterday and also preached the sermon. Rev. Fr. Hart, S. J., of Boston college will deliver the first of a series of sermons at the Lenten services Wednesday evening. Stations of the cross will be held Friday evening.

St. Columba's

Members of the Holy Name society received communion in a body at the 7.30 o'clock mass at St. Columba's church yesterday. Rev. Patrick J. Hally, the pastor, was the celebrant. Rev. Francis McNeil sang the high mass. A high mass was celebrated this morning at 8 o'clock.

Calvary Baptist

Rev. Joseph Robbins of Boston was the preacher at Calvary Baptist church yesterday morning. His subject was "The Baptists and World Reconstruction." In the evening the choir gave a cantata of the 91st Psalm under the direction of F. B. Hill, and the pastor, Rev. A. R. Lilts, gave a short talk on the subject, "A Great Mystery." Wednesday evening the Lyons class will give an entertainment at the church.

First Baptist

"Did Adam Own the Garden of Eden?" was the subject discussed yesterday morning by Rev. A. C. Archibald at the First Baptist church. The evening topic was "Should Some Preachers and Some Church Members Be Shot?"

Immanuel Baptist

Rev. D. J. Hatfield conducted the services at the Immanuel Baptist church, preaching in the morning on the theme, "The Call for Help." In the evening the topic was "Almost."

Paige Street Baptist

"The Church for Today" was the sermon-subject at the Paige Street Baptist church yesterday morning. Rev. E. H. Prescott of Andover conducted both services, preaching in the evening on the theme, "A Great Man's Attitude Towards the Gospel." Thursday evening the ladies' sewing circle will hold its monthly supper and entertainment.

Worthen Street Baptist

"Our Responsibility for Others" was the subject yesterday morning preached on by Rev. Walter A. Woodbury at the Worthen Street Baptist church. The evening topic was "What Is That in Thy Hand?"

Christian Science

The regular services were held at the Christian Science churches yesterday and the subject under discussion was "Substance."

Eliot Congregational

"Freed from Bondage" was the subject of the sermon at the Eliot Congregational church yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. Herbert A. Barker.

First Congregational

Dr. Chauncy J. Hawkins spoke yesterday morning on the theme, "Is the Doctrine of Christ's Sacrifice for Sin a Reasonebl One?" In the evening the pastor gave a lecture talk, entitled "Moles, Misers and Mollycoddles." Andrew A. McCarthy sang at the evening service. Tomorrow evening a meeting will be held at the church to discuss the formation of a new organization for men. On Friday evening the pastor will begin a series of Lenten lectures, the first entitled "What is Spirituality?"

All Souls'

"The Sacrifice of Abraham" was the topic of Rev. A. R. Hussey's sermon at the morning service at All Souls' church yesterday. Wednesday evening a concert will be given at the church, and on Friday the women of the church will conduct a food sale in Middlesex hall.

Kirk Street Congregational

Rev. William F. English, Jr., conducted the service at the Kirk Street Congregational church yesterday morning, preaching on the topic, "The Tax on Spiritual Incomes." Tuesday afternoon the women's association will meet at the home of Mrs. A. P. Green.

Pawtucket Congregational

"The New Social Order" was the sermon topic at the Pawtucket Congregational church yesterday morning. Rev. A. G. Lyon conducted both services, preaching in the evening on "Lessons from the Soldier." Wednesday afternoon the home branch of the woman's missionary society will meet at the parsonage with Mrs. Lyon.

St. John's Episcopal

Rev. James Bancroft conducted the services at St. John's Episcopal church yesterday. In the morning he spoke on the theme, "Prayer." The evening topic was "The Fullness of Him That Filleth All." Thursday evening a special Lenten service will be held, and the speaker will be Dr. Allan McLean Taylor of Mattapan.

Jewish Synagogues

Purim, the festival of "Lots," one of the most popular among the Jewish people and deservedly holding first place among the merrymaking events of the year, was celebrated at the Jewish synagogues with special services on Saturday and Sunday.

St. Paul's M. E.

Rev. John L. Cairns conducted the morning service at St. Paul's M. E. church yesterday. His topic was, "The Plough Work of the Kingdom." The evening topic was "Son and Heir." Wednesday evening the Men's club will give a supper for the men of the church. James P. Ramsay, probation officer of the superior court, will be the speaker.

First Primitive Methodist

"The Church At Its Best" was the subject discussed yesterday morning at the First Primitive Methodist church. Rev. N. W. Matthews was the preacher. In the evening the pastor spoke on the topic, "Lenten Themes and Service."

Lawrence Street Primitive Methodist

Rev. John Singleton preached yesterday morning at the Lawrence Street Primitive Methodist church on the topic, "All-the-Way Christians." The evening subject was "The Art of Being Cheerful." The Moore Bible class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Clifford Grant.

First Presbyterian

"Church Unity" was the subject discussed yesterday morning by Rev. Jos. E. Kennedy at the First Presbyterian church. In the evening the topic was "The Creed of Christendom."

Westminster United Presbyterian

"An Island of Black Presbyterians" was the subject of Rev. S. A. Jackson's sermon at the Westminster United Presbyterian church yesterday. In the evening he spoke on "What God Sees and What Man Sees." The Christian Endeavor society will hold an important business meeting tonight at the home of Alexander Ross.

First Universalist

Rev. C. E. Fisher, D.D., preached yesterday morning at the First Universalist church on the theme: "Weavers of Dreams." Friday evening a Lenten service will be held and the pastor will make an address.

AT SACRED HEART PARISH HALL

A very enjoyable concert was given in the Sacred Heart parish hall last evening in observance of the feast of St. Patrick. The affair, which was given by the church choir under the direction of the organist, John J. Kelty, was largely attended and proved a great success. A feature of the evening's program was a lecture by the pastor, Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I., who spoke on "Ireland and Her Rights." He outlined many interesting features concerning the early history of Ireland, and he dealt with other important events in connection with the fight for independence that has been waged by the Irish people. His address was listened to with great interest and was warmly applauded. The program was as follows:

Piano duet, Trumpeters' March..Ryder
Lilliam Burke and Ethel Sheehan
Soprano solo, Eilleen Allanna..Marble
May E. Burke
Tenor solo, Believe Me.....Moore
John M. Spillane
Baritone solo, Wearing of the Green
Thaler
Timothy F. Finnegan
Reading, Erin's Flag,
Katherine Kenney
Quartet, Sons of Ireland.....Martin
Sacred Heart Church choir
Soprano solo, Freedom Song of Ireland,
Mrs. George H. Tierney
Baritone solo, Come Back to Erin
Claribel
Walter Mack
Soprano solo, An Irish Lullaby—Young
Ellen F. Lynch
Lecture, Ireland and Her Rights,
Rev. John P. Flynn, O.M.I.
Finale: Hail, Glorious Apostle,
Star Spangled Banner
Soloists and audience
Church quartet: Katherine M. Sharkey, soprano; Elizabeth F. Finnegan, contralto; John A. McMahon, tenor; Geo. W. Kirwin, bass.
Accompanists: Lillian V. Burke, Mary Mack, John J. Kelty.

SUNDAY BREAKFAST

The regular Sunday breakfast for soldiers and sailors was held yesterday morning in the K. of C. hall under the auspices of the Catholic Women's league of St. Patrick's parish. Mrs. P. J. Bagley was in charge and was assisted by Misses Susie Gallagher, Sadie Gallagher, Bessie McAloon, Helen McAloon, Grace Williams, Mildred A. Downey, Laura Reardon, Helen J. O'Connor, Mary O'Connor, Tessie Dean, Mary Dunn, Marietta Brunelle, Mae Ryan, Retta A. Hannain and Mrs. James J. Chriton.

After the breakfast an entertainment was given by the following: Piano solos, Esther Crowley and Esther Retzin; solos, Jack Russell, Lauretta Finnerty and May Ryan; violin selection, Marietta Brunelle.

CAPT. GARGAN HONORED

Capt. Joseph Gargan, of the United States Marines, recently returned from overseas, was tendered a banquet by a score of his friends at the Richardson hotel Saturday evening as a testimonial of their esteem for his character and fighting qualities. Although Capt. Gargan has refused to talk of his experiences while a member of the now famous "devil dogs" who made things hot for the boche at Chateau-Thierry and Belleau Wood, his friends refused to allow him to maintain his silence on this occasion, and he gave a brief recital of his experiences while hunting the Hun.

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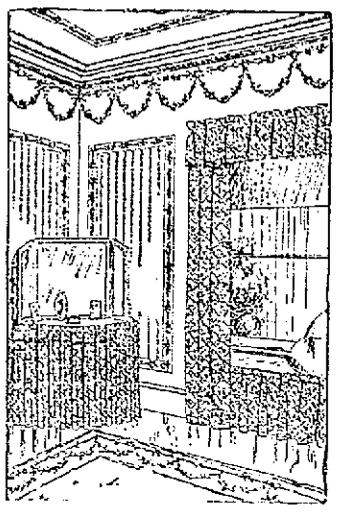

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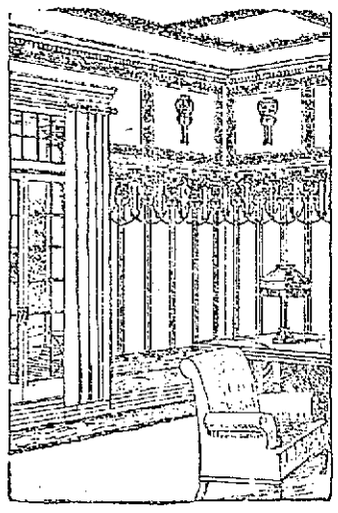

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

THE STRAND

The theme of "The Common Cause," the great screen production which is to be shown for the first time at the Strand today, is the story of the ages—the explanation of why and how the United States and the allied nations joined together in the salvation of civilization. It is the story uttered by Cardinal Mercier, the angel of Belgium, in the first interview he gave after the Huns had been driven across the Rhine. It is a story of laughs, thrills and throbs. It is a history of the war in tabloid form, accurately sketched by its author and faithfully portrayed by the engaging cast. You can't afford to miss this masterpiece.

Magnetic, beautiful and charming as ever is Madge Kennedy in her newest Goldwyn picture, "Day Dreams." Miss Kennedy's joyous mood is given full expression in the play. Never has the delightful artiste, with whom success has become a habit, been seen in a more lovable role than in this picturization.

The remainder of the bill will be made up of the usual excellent comedy, a Chester Outing and Universal Weekly. Mme. Calvert will be the week's soloist.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Woman Against Woman," the week's production by the Emerson All Star Players at the Lowell Opera House, will be presented this afternoon and tonight to capacity audiences. Advance sale of tickets clearly indicates this fact. You can't afford to miss this play. If you do not intend to go the first part of the week, be sure and make reservations early or you will be disappointed. "Woman Against Woman" is a play based on a story concerning the battle of two women for a man. It's very carefully and cleverly thought out and in employing the characters to interpret the theme the author has exercised unusual care and thought in giving it proper balance and entertaining power. Miss Jane Salisbury, the talented leading woman of the company, and Miss Louise Girard-Huntington, the second woman of the cast, are the ones who appear in the principal female roles. Both will undoubtedly give these characters interesting and entertaining treatment. Miss Huntington will appear as the adventurer, and she will certainly make one of her biggest hits. Mr. Julian Noa, whose cleverness as a stock star has never been questioned, and Arthur Buchanan, a character man of unqualified ability, will be seen in the leading male roles. The other characters will be in capable hands. The play is by Fred J. Harvey, and is one of his best efforts. A reception to Miss Elizabeth Ferris will be given on the stage after the matinee performance on Saturday. All patrons are cordially invited to attend.

Manager Carroll has contracted for such well known attractions as "Shall We Forgive Her?" "Mary's Ankle," and "When He Came Back." The latter is not a war drama.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Toto, greatest of clowns, and the maker of famous falls, will be the big performer of the bill at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, beginning this afternoon. Toto is internationally famous. Not one of the music halls or theatres of the continent but that knows him. He has brought sunlight to millions of people. His work is distinctive. When he first landed in this country there were those who believed that nothing new in clowning could be produced. But Toto showed them that he had a little art of his own.

Wilfred Clarke, brother of the famous Creston Clarke, and associate of many of the most noted actors and actresses, will be present on this bill with "His Real Trouble." It is a fast-moving comedy, and one which Mr. Clarke has scored a most pronounced hit in. With him is Miss Meignan, an actress of repute. Mr. Clarke played with Booth and Barrett, with Marlowe, Rohan and Sothern. There is little wonder that he is rated as one of the biggest men on the stage today.

And now we come to Marion Harris, that scintillating singer of coon songs. Marion is everything that a star in vaudeville should be. She is bright, she sings splendidly, she wears compelling gowns, and she has a snappy manner that fairly sweeps an audience with her. Little wonder, then, that she is called a queen of syncopation.

If these three bigs aren't enough to lift one right out of his seat, then he can turn to "Green Goods," one of the funniest of acts, in which Arthur Stone and Marion Hayes are appearing. It shows a gawky country cut-up trying to "put it over" on a professional show woman. He doesn't succeed of course, but he keeps on trying until he is fairly smothered with her witty, caustic observations. Stone does an uncommonly striking bit of work in this act.

The Oklahoma Four, two men and two women, present songs, dances and games of the far west. The roping of the four is uncommonly good and it is found to bring a lot of applause. Guerro and Mlle. Carmen, in violin and harp selections, are also quite above the average in their work, and Norton & Noble in a musical comedy stunt will open up the show in very good style. The Kinograms will be shown at every performance, with a change of subjects in mid-week. Also a film novel will be presented.

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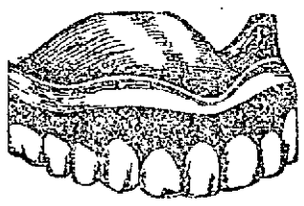

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BOTH SIDES TO BLAME

Japanese Seized Americans in French Concession at Tien Tsin

PEKIN, Friday, March 14.—(By the Associated Press)—While early reports from Tien Tsin suggested that American marines were to blame for the recent disorders there, later reports would seem to show that the Japanese were also at fault.

It is claimed that Japanese military guards entered the French concession and there seized two Americans and when American officials inquired of the Japanese police authorities if any Americans were being detained, were given a negative answer, according to a report.

Later American officials found two Americans in a police station, one of them lying almost naked in the yard calling for water. The Japanese were induced to send the injured man to a hospital and an American consul refused to leave the station until the other man, a corporal, had been released. This demand was granted finally.

The American consul was stoned by Japanese as he drove away from the station, it is said.

When the American marines entered the Japanese consulate they are reported to have attacked a visitor.

On Thursday evening American marines who were entering a moving picture theatre in the French concession were attacked by a crowd of Japanese armed with sticks. They managed to enter the theatre the proprietor of which telephoned for the French police, who dispersed the Japanese.

The situation at Tien Tsin is said to be tense. The matter has been referred to the French legation here.

NEW LEASE OF LIFE FOR WAR LABOR BOARD

The local war labor board employment office will not go out of existence before July 1, at least, according to a decision reached by the mayor's committee on determination, the successor to the public safety committee, at a meeting last evening. The committee voted to finance the office in view of the fact that the federal government no longer wishes to do so. The decision fololwed a conference of the committee with Congressman Rogers and the members of the labor board —Fred N. Wier, chairman; Charles E. Anderson and Frederick A. Flather. A report of the work done by the office was read and it was felt that the continuance of the work would be a great help to returning soldiers and sailors.

INJURED IN RUNAWAY

Shortly before 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon a horse owned and driven by Selectman George N. Parker of Dracut ran away in Merrimack street and as a result the driver was quite seriously injured, the wagon was considerably damaged, the horse was injured and the water fountain with which he collided in front of Morse & Beals in East Merrimack street was broken. The horse became frightened in Merrimack street opposite Prince's store and made a wild dash through the street and across Merrimack square. An automobile blocked the horse's way in front of Morse & Beals' store with the result that the horse crashed into the water fountain. Mr. Parker was thrown out at this spot and was badly injured about the head. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to St. John's hospital. The horse was not seriously injured.

LAPATA BANDITS DRIVEN OUT OF MORELOS

MEXICO CITY, March 17.—(By the Associated Press)—The state of Morelos, just south of this city, is completely under the control of government troops after being overrun for 10 years by bands commanded by Emiliano Zapata. A campaign conducted by Gen. Pablo Gonzales, commander of the government forces, has been successful, Zapata and a few hundred followers being drizen into the almost impassable mountains near Puenta de Ixtla, on the boundary between Mexico and Guerrero. His capture is expected.

An opportunity to confirm the government's announcement that Morelos has been pacified has been afforded the correspondent of the Associated Press who has just completed a seven day journey by railroad, mule back and afoot through a large part of the state, including virtually all of Zapata's former strongholds. There is regular train service over the national railway of Mexico between this city and Cuernavaca, the capital of Morelos and colonists and artisans are being taken there free of charge by the government.

FOOD FOR GERMANY

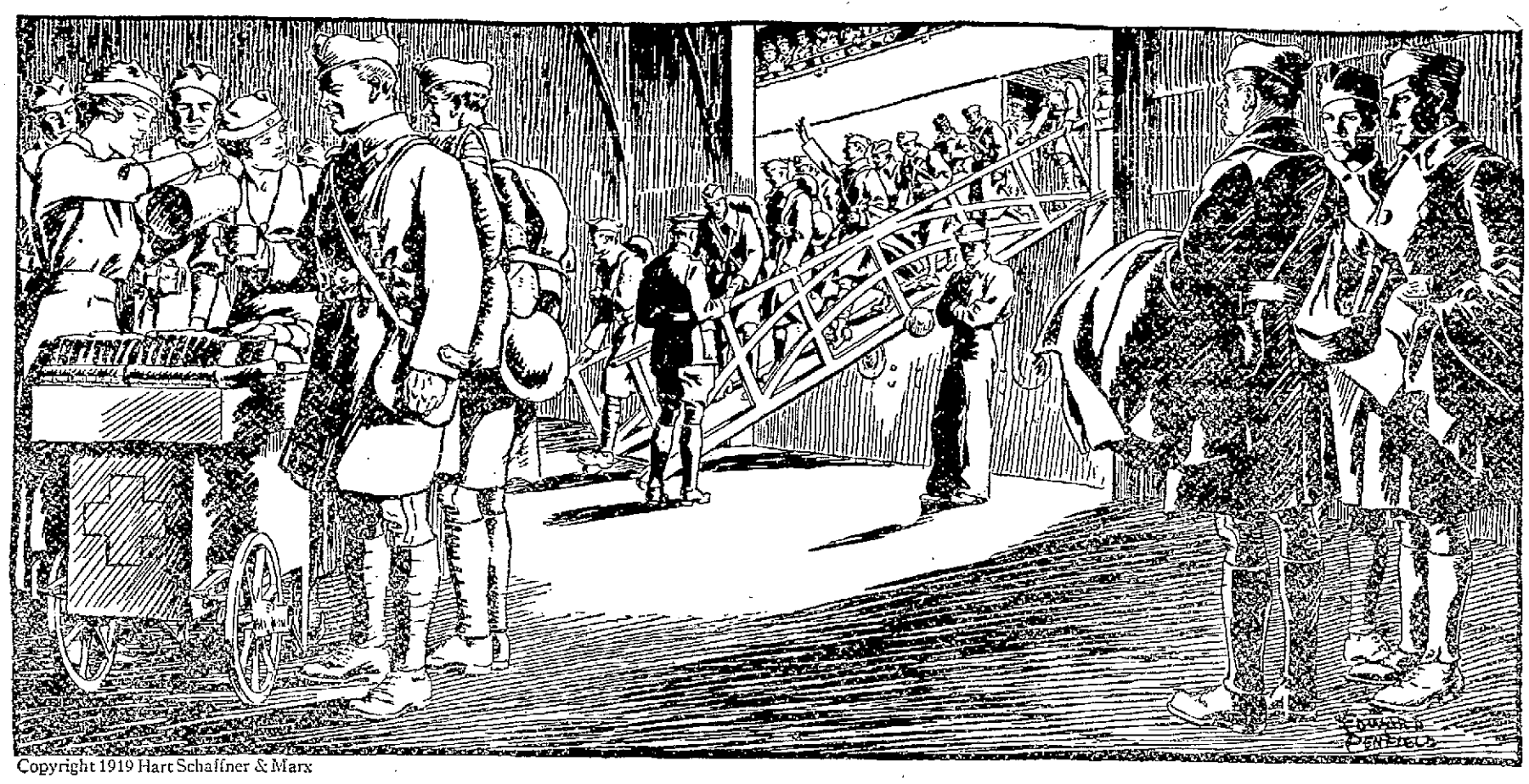
Will Be Allowed 370,000 Tons Monthly

COPENHAGEN, March 17.—Germany, in consideration of a deposit of 11,000,000 pounds sterling in gold at Brussells, will receive an immediate delivery of 270,000 tons of foodstufts, according to a Berlin version of the agreement entered into between the German delegates and the representatives of the allied powers at Brussels.

Germany will further be entitled to purchase monthly 370,000 tons of food in enemy and neutral countries, besides fish from European waters, and vegetables. The restrictions on fishing in the Baltic will be removed, the despatch adds, and it is Germany's most important task in the immediate future to increase to the utmost her exports of raw materials and industrial products.

LOOKING FOR BURGLARS

The police are endeavoring to locate the thief or thieves who broke into Foulger's shoe store in Central street Friday night. An entrance was gained through a rear window and five pairs of shoes were taken.



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CARMICHAEL CHIEF MARSHAL

The following, under the head of "St. Patrick's Day Notes" is from The Lowell Morning Times of March 17, 1888:

Chief Marshal Carmichael says that the parade will occur today rain or shine. The streets are in a very bad condition but the patriotism of the participants will not allow such a trifle as bad walking to prevent their doing honor to their patron saint. It has been found necessary to slightly alter the route of procession, as shown below, on account of the great depth of snow in some of the streets through which it was proposed to pass. The decorations are already quite extensive and more will be put in place today.

Snow plow will be run through the streets wherever the parade goes today except on such as are paved. The route will be cut, leaving out Whipple, Swift and the lower part of Lawrence street the procession passing through Central to Wamesit to Lawrence, etc.

The Hibernian Rifles will parade today with arms, having received a permit so to do.

Division 11, A.O.H., will be escorted by the Townsend cornet band. Patrick J. Brady will be marshal with Malachi Burns and Patrick Ward as aids.

The members of the city government who intend to attend the exercises at St. Patrick's church today will assemble at the city hall at 10 o'clock. The Irish Benevolent society will escort them.

The Young Catholic cadets of St. Patrick, 150 in number, will appear in uniform today. They have engaged the North Chelmsford band. After mass the young ladies of Notre Dame will present them with a beautiful green flag.

M. J. Cryan, marshal of the A.O.H. divisions, desires the marshals of the different lodges or divisions of that order to meet at 1 p. m. at the junction of Hanover, Market and Lewis streets.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending March 15, 1919: Population, 107,978; total deaths, 33; deaths under five, 10; deaths under one, 7; infectious diseases, 3; acute lung diseases—pneumonia 4, bronchitis 1; diphtheria, 2, tuberculosis, 1; influenza, 1.

Death rate: 15.41 against 19.71 and 25.04 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Diphtheria, 8; scarlet fever, 3; typhoid fever, 1; measles, 1; tuberculosis, 7

Sends Details on Tien Tsin Incident

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Minister Reinsch at Peking, advised the state department today that all was quiet at Tien Tsin, where there was trouble last week between American soldiers and Japanese, and that he was sending a full report of the incident by mail. The department instructed him to report all important facts by cable immediately.

The minister made no mention of the nature of the difficulty either in today's despatch or in his message Saturday, reporting that he had sent First Secretary Spencer from Peking to investigate.

Associated Press despatches from Peking have described a raid by Americans on the Japanese consulate in which the consul was seriously wounded; the seizure of two Americans in the French concession by Japanese military guards, and an attack by Japanese upon Americans at a motion picture theatre, in the French concession.

The fact that Minister Reinsch thought it unnecessary to send his report by cable is regarded here as indicating that he did not attach great importance to the matter.

New German-Austrian Cabinet

COPENHAGEN, Sunday, March 17.—The new German-Austrian government, according to a telegram from Vienna, includes Dr. Renner as chancellor; Herr Jodolink as vice chancellor; Herr Schumpeter as minister of finance; Dr. Julias as minister of war, and Otto Bauer as minister of socialization. Herr Bauer also continues temporarily as minister of foreign affairs.

Man Ends His Life in Hospital

FITCHBURG, March 17.—William I. Wright, engineer for the Park Hill Manufacturing Co., was found dead in bed at Burbank hospital here today, with his throat cut by his own hand. He had used a safety razor blade. He was taken to the hospital last Saturday, following injuries received by contact with high voltage wires in the mill, and the circumstances of his death lead to the belief that he had tried suicide at that time.

PRUSSIAN GOVERNMENT IS CLEANING HOUSE

BERLIN, Saturday, March 15.—(By the Associated Press)—The Prussian government has begun a general house cleaning among the higher bureaucrats left over from the former regime who are charged with indulging in a policy of obstruction and even outspoken hostility to the measures of the present government.

A start was made this week with Herr Lobell, former Prussian minister of the interior, and Georg Michaelis, former chancellor. The official axe is hanging over the necks of scores of privy councillors and department directors who fancied themselves indispensable in the bureaucratic regime.

FRANCE REFUSES PASSPORTS TO SOCIALISTS NAMED TO GO TO RUSSIA

PARIS, Sunday, March 16. The government has refused to issue passports to three socialists, who were selected Bolshevik government, in accordance with the decision reached at the recent socialist congress at Berne.

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SPAIN ENDORSES PRES. WILSON'S PROPOSALS

MADRID, Sunday, March 16.—(By The Associated Press)—A committee appointed by the government to study the subject of Spanish participation in the League of Nations, has submitted a report which will be considered at a special cabinet meeting. The government entirely endorses President Wilson's proposals but reserves its decision as to reductions of armament and the fixing of military forces by members of the league.

It is understood that the government will ask definite assurances as to the Spanish coastline, protectorates in Africa and the suitability of military service as social discipline for Spain. The wish is also expressed that this country may maintain close relations with South American nations of common race origin and language.

Spain will be represented at conferences of neutral nations at Paris by Manuel Gonzales Hontoria, a liberal deputy and in 1912 under secretary for foreign affairs who leaves for Paris tomorrow night. Premier Romanones may also go to Paris to attend at least some sittings of the neutral conference if the political permits.

Senor Hontoria and other members of the committee who are supporters of President Wilson's ideas consider that the findings submitted to the government in its report will have peculiar weight both because Spain is one of the leading neutral nations and because of the prestige she enjoys among Latin-American countries favoring the establishment of a League of Nations. Spain is ready to present her views to the neutral conference on military, economic and social questions but will not discuss Morocco, considering her rights so indisputable that discussion is unnecessary.

BOSTON AUTO SHOW BIG ATTRACTION

Thousands of Lowell auto owners will turn their thoughts and machines toward Boston during the next six days. The Boston automobile show has become an annual fixture in the lives of most Lowell autoists, who are always anxious to see the newest creations of the automobile world.

It is expected that nearly every owner of an auto in this city, whether driving his Pierce-Arrow or Ford, will find his way at least once during the week to what is said to be the greatest exhibit in the history of the automobile industry. Many prominent local dealers are planning to pass the greater part of the week at the show in the interest of the cars they represent.

For the next few days one can expect to hear more auto gossip than during the rest of the season. People are apt to hear it on street cars, in the hotels, lunch rooms, on street corners, in the shops, and even in the homes the possibilities of a new car or a trade for a good second will be seriously discussed.

There is no institution in New England at least that starts auto gossip like the Boston show. The gossip runs all the way from bicycles to limousines. People don't have to own an auto to tell about them. The Boston show breeds the germ. It's the beginning of spring auto fever.

The big show attracts not only those who own autos; it also draws thousands of people from Lowell and other places who haven't the slightest idea of ever owning a car. This element seems to derive keen pleasure in the simple inspection of the numberless makes and models on display. Lowell dealers say that one of the great rushes of the year comes directly after the Boston show. They are prepared this year to take care of this business they say, despite the fact that there has been considerable talk of car shortage in certain quarters.

While it is true that shipments have been curtailed to a certain extent, all Lowell dealers report ability to deliver at the present time, although it is possible that there might be a slowing up a little later of deliveries, due to the increased business resultant from the Hub's exhibit.

A canvass of Lowell dealers discloses the fact that their ability to deliver is dependent on two things: the extend of the spring rush, which promises to be the greatest in the history of the industry, and the ability of the factories to readjust their plants from war to a peace basis.

Representatives of all Lowell's auto dealers will be at the various displays during the week, to demonstrate the virtues of their factory models, and many orders are expected as a result of the week's exhibit. The injunction of Lowell dealers to the public is to go to the show and then "buy early."

A Winter Warning

You can't avoid exposure to germs that produce pneumonia, influenza, and other dangerous diseases. But you can keep your blood rich and pure, your body well nourished, your power of resistance active by the use of

BOVININE

For Strength

not a medicine, but a food tonic and blood builder, and so help Nature to defend you against disease.

Prescribed by doctors
Sold by all druggists

12 oz. bottle $1.15 6 oz. bottle 70c.

THE BOVININE CO.
75 W. Houston St., New York

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KOREA UNITED IN FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

SHANGHAI, March 17.—The demonstrations which have been going on in Korea have been more general than has been reported by the Japanese, according to information reaching this city from across the Korean frontier. It is said that all classes of the population are taking part.

The outbreak was planned for March 4, the day of the funeral of former Emperor Yi Heui, it is reported, but the nationalists suddenly changed their plans and began demonstrations before that date. The Japanese gendarmes in the interior of the country had been sent to Seoul for duty during the funeral, and the movement gained considerable headway before any measure could be taken to check it.

It is claimed by the Koreans that all schools and churches have been closed and that native pastors and elders to the estimated number of 1000 have been arrested. There have been a number of rumors of a sensational nature current here in connection with the outbreak but they have not been confirmed. It is declared that the movement for the independence of Korea has been going on secretly ever since the country was annexed by Japan in 1910.

THE SOLDIER'S BONUS CHECK

Those $60 bonus checks are coming, and they are coming fast and promptly.

Many Lowell boys who had visions of a long wait for the $60 which was due them after the bill had been passed and signed by the president, were greatly surprised this week when the checks began to arrive to soldiers who had sent their discharge papers to Washington.

The bill was signed by the president about two weeks ago and some of the boys who had the money coming to them sent their discharge papers to Washington immediately, although they did not expect to receive the remittance until a month or more from the date of the mailing. Other discharged soldiers who figured the same way, planned to wait a couple of weeks to see how the thing would pan out.

The first hint that it would be better to rush their discharges struck the boys when they learned the soldiers who were being discharged daily at Camp Devens were receiving the $60 bonus along with whatever pay was coming to them. Then the Lowell boys started to mail their discharges, as the discharge paper was a thing of the past, while the $60 loomed up before them as a big future.

Some of the Lowell boys received their checks barely a week after they had sent their discharge papers to the Lemon building, Washington. Soldiers who have not yet sent their discharges are now rushing their claims to Zone officer, Lemon building, Washington, and discharged sailors are sending their claims to the disbursing officer, bureau of supplies and accounts, navy department, Washington.

ANSWER QUESTIONNAIRE

Summaries of Reports of Federal Reserve Agents Throughout Country

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The federal reserve board made public today summaries of reports from federal reserve agents throughout the country in answer to a questionnaire recently sent out to ascertain the extent of business and industrial readjustment. The reports showed in general large stocks on hand by manufacturers and dealers and a lessened demand, with prices decreasing in many cases.

A typical example of the reports from industrial districts was afforded by the tabulation of replies to questions from business concerns in the Philadelphia federal reserve district. These questions and classified replies were as follows:

Are the quantities of materials, supplies and goods as shown by your last inventory larger than usual? Yes, 114. No, 125.

Are they principally for war or civilian business? War work, 20; civilian business, 221.

Have the prices of your product been lowered recently from the high prices prevailing during the war? Yes, 145. No, 93.

Is labor more abundant? Yes, 225. No, 21.

Is labor less restless? Yes, 117. No, 91.

Is there less re-employment? Yes, 106. No, 62.

Is labor more efficient? Yes, 90. No, 142.

Has there been any lowering of wages? Yes, 17. No, 228.

Are you paying less for raw materials? Yes, 131. No, 89.

Is the supply adequate? Yes, 212. No, 16.

Do you anticipate making any extensions or repairs to your plants in the near future which will necessitate the purchase of building materials or equipments? Yes, 42. No, 203.

Most concerns reported the outlook uncertain.

LIEUT. MacBRAYNE AT THE STRAND

Lieut. W. C. MacBrayne, military aeronaut, who has recently returned to his home in this city after a year and a half of service in France, and who received French and American citations during his work as a balloon observer, spoke at the Strand theatre yesterday afternoon and evening. Large audiences greeted him on each occasion and showed the greatest interest in his talks.

Lieut. MacBrayne spoke principally of the service at the front given by the Yankee division, and as others have done, placed the American "doughboy" on the highest possible soldier plane. To his mind, the 26th Division was the best at the front and he paid a splendid tribute to the part taken by Lowell boys in the war. The speaker also eulogized the French people, who endured much with no sign of weakness and glorified the traditions of the old republic. Lieut. MacBrayne hoped that Massachusetts and Lowell would give a fitting welcome to their returning heroes, who typified the American fighting man in all his glory.

Lieut. MacBrayne was introduced in the afternoon by Otto Hockmeyer, and in the evening by Daniel W. Cosgrove.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

LEMONS WHITEN THE COMPLEXION

Any Woman Can Make Up This Creamy Beauty Lotion For a Few Cents

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quarter pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach a darkened skin and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands.

Joe & Susie Carpenito
152-154 Gorham Street

IMPORTED OLIVE OIL AND MACARONI

And all kinds of American groceries. Assortment of cheese. Best of fruits, Sunkist oranges, candy, cigars, tobacco and pipes. Imported Roquefort cheese.

ASK FOR and GET
Horlick's
The Original
Malted Milk
For Infants and Invalids
OTHERS are IMITATIONS

WHICH WILL YOU BUY
OTTO COKE
At $10 Per Ton
—OR—
FRESH MINED Anthracite COAL
WE HAVE BOTH
HORNE COAL CO.
Wyman's Exchange
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NEED YOUR ATTENTION

If your house needs painting outside or inside, then do it now! And do it with

MASURY'S PAINT

It will last longer and look better than any other, and you'll save a good big margin over the old way of painting.

You'll feel pleased at the results. Don't delay because you think goods are a little high now. You will take more out of the house by delay.

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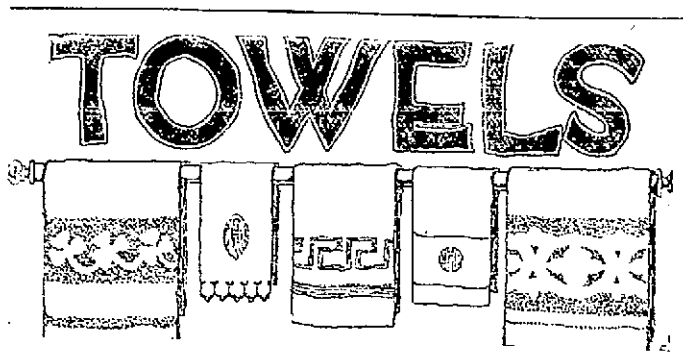

For Chamber, Hand or Bath

In "Firsts" and "Seconds." Five cases just received from the largest mill in the United States manufacturing Union Linen Huck Towels, "seconds," and about three cases Bath Towels at prices 25 to 50 per cent. less than the value of regular goods.

HUCK TOWELS AT 11¢ EACH—One lot individual size, 15x24 inches, good heavy huck, first quality, full bleached and a towel that has been sold for 15c.

HUCK TOWELS AT 19¢—One lot regular large size, mostly 17x34, plain hem, second quality; also a few discards, made for the government; regular 39c value.

HUCK TOWELS AT 25¢—One lot, full size, warranted 65 per cent. linen, plain and hemstitched borders, with red and blue spot, extra heavy, seconds; regular value 50c.

HUCK TOWELS AT 50¢—One lot, size 20x37 inches, the best huck towels made in this country. Damask borders with monogram space. We sell the first quality for 98c.

BATH TOWELS

Just two numbers, only 75 dozen in all, 50 of one grade and 25 of another, the best values we've had to offer for two years.

BATH TOWELS AT 25¢ EACH—50 dozen large size, heavy double thread yarn, fast selvage both sides, full bleached, guaranteed value 33c.

BATH TOWELS AT 50¢—25 dozen including plain, fancy, colored borders and unbleached, some with monogram spaces, not a towel in the lot worth less than 69c.

PALMER STREET LEFT AISLE

The Underpriced Basement

DRY GOODS SECTION

A Sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases

Limited quantities remaining of special purchases which cannot be duplicated at this time.

SHEETS

SHEETS AT 90¢ EACH—Made of bleached cotton, 72x90 inch, with 3 and 1 inch hem; regular $1.25 value. (Only 400.)

SHEETS AT $1.00 EACH—Made of Harvest Home cotton, 72x90 inch, with 3 and 1 inch hem; regular $1.39 value. (Only 240.)

SHEETS AT $1.25 EACH—Made of extra good quality seamless sheeting, 81x90 inch; regular $1.69 value.

SHEETS AT $1.50 EACH—Made of extra quality, seamless sheeting, 81x90; regular $2.00 value.

SHEETS AT $1.59 EACH—Made of Essex bleached sheeting, 81x90 inch, seamless; regular $2.19 value. (240.)

PEPPERELL SHEETS—Made of Pepperell seamless sheeting, bleached—

81x90 in., regular $1.89 value, at $1.39 Ea.
81x99 in., regular $2.00 value, at $1.49 Ea.
90x99 in., regular $2.29 value, at $1.69 Ea.

PILLOW CASES

GEM COTTON, 40x36 inch, regular 25c value, at ..... 19¢ Each
GEM COTTON, 42x36 inch, regular 29c value, at ..... 22¢ Each
ORIENT COTTON, 42x36 inch, regular 35c value, at ..... 25¢ Each
ORIENT COTTON, 45x36 inch, regular 39c value, at ..... 29¢ Each
PRIORITY COTTON, 45x36 inch, regular 39c value, at ..... 33¢ Each

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READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Children's White Dresses at $1 and $1.98

A fortunate purchase from a prominent New York specialty house at a very low figure allows us to put these dresses ON SALE TODAY at such a great sacrifice.

900 Children's White Dresses in sizes 2 to 14 years, made of sheer organdies and batiste trimmed with Swiss embroidery or val lace and ribbon sashes. The styles are high waisted effects, double ruffle skirts and jackets.

Dress for child 2 to 6 years old, worth $1.50 and $2.00 ..... $1.00
Dress for child 6 to 14 years old, worth $2.50 and $3.00 ..... $1.98

Men's Furnishing Section

BASEMENT

Men's Union Suits at $1.00

To close 20 Dozen Men's Jersey Union Suits, in ecru and silver gray, broken sizes; $2.00 value, at ..... $1.00 Each

Men's Negligee Shirts at 75c Each

Regular $1.00 value. Men's Negligee Shirts, made of good quality percale, in a large assortment of stripes.

IRISH MINSTREL SHOW AT ASSOCIATE HALL

"Best ever," "O, boy," and "Some entertainers" were phrases voiced by some of the fully 1000 Lowell people who journeyed to Associate hall last evening and witnesed an Irish minstrel show of high calibre given by the Mathew Temperance Institute as their share in the observance of St. Patrick's day.

The program included a varied and well balanced series of musical numbers from the land of the shamrock that were given in a manner that merited the enthusiastic reception accorded and a mixed chorus of 60 voices added materially to the success of the entertainment. John W. Sharkey was the interlocutor—if that be the proper title—and he filled the position with his usual smoothness and grace. Bernard H. Rourke of the Mathews directed and George Freeman presided at the piano.

The decorations of the hall and stage were much more simple than in former years. The wealth of greenery and steamers of bunting gave way to the simpler, yet effective colors of green, white and gold. A large flag of this hue covered the rear of the platform while on either side was a large Old Glory. Potted plants and palms added to the attractiveness of the simple decorative scheme.

The program was as follows:

Overture of Irish melodies, orchestra of 12 pieces; opening chorus, medley of Irish songs, M.T.I. Glee club, "Came Back to Erin," "O'Donnell Aboo," "Cruiskeen Lawn," "Dear Little Shamrock," "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall;" "My Barney Lies Over the Ocean," Mrs. May Dillon Doherty; "The Minstrel Boy," Lawrence Delaney; "My Irish Song of Songs," Miss Bella Walsh; "Believe Me, If All Those Endearing Young Charms," Martin H. Maguire; reading, selected, Miss Margaret Mahoney; "There a Rose Blooming in Ireland," Edward Donahue; "Killarney," Mrs. Lena J. Noonan; "I'm Off to Philadelphia," Walter Quinn; "Kerry Dance," Miss Florence Hague; chorus of popular airs, M.T.I. Glee club, "Along the Rocky Road to Dublin," "I'll Be Back in My Low Back Car," "Eileen," "The Irish Have a Great Day Tonight," "Mickey," Lauretta Finnerty; "My Wild Irish Rose," John F. Roane, Jr.; "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," Miss Vera Moody; "Somewhere in Ireland," William Reilly; "Ireland, I Hear You Calling," Beatrice Richards; quartet selections, Harmony Four, Messrs. Maguire, Rogers, Sullivan and Shaughnessy; "The Low Backed Car," Miss Sadie Sheehan; "When Ireland Comes Into Her Own," William Mahoney; Irish folk songs, Miss Maureen Quinn; "When I Dream of Old Erin," J. Warren Kane; "She's the Daughter of Rosie O'Grady," Miss Alice Murningham; "The Last Rose of Summer," Miss Florence McManus; closing chorus, M.T.I. Glee club, "The Wearing of the Green," "God Save Ireland."

Members of the Mathew Temperance Institute having charge of the evening as a committee on arrangements were as follows: John J. Townsend, chairman; George M. Lyons, secretary; Thos. J. Durkin, treasurer; P. Frank Reilly, J. Frank Sullivan, Francis Plunkett, John Lynch, William Busby, Arthur Flaherty, John Bowers, John W. Sharkey, Thos. J. Tighe, Bernard Rourke, William Gray, Thomas Carty, Nicholas Sheridan.

UNLUCKY NUMBER IN GAMBLING RAID

"Hush!" The 13 men seated at the table held their breath. "There it goes again. Yes, the mystic signal." "Evidently a friend," suggested one of the band. "Then let him be admitted," said another. And so the door of an attic room on Summer street was thrown open yesterday afternoon and Lieut. Petrie and four members of the vice squad took the crestfallen 13 to the station where they were charged with being present at a game on the Lord's day.

Twelve of the men appeared before Judge Enright in police court today and pleaded guilty to the charge against them and fines of $5 each were imposed. The names given by those arraigned were: Manuel Jardin, Tony Fratus, Manuel Zidor, Frank Gonsalves, Antonio Souza, Joaquin Costa, Joe Barbosa, S. Farinha, Frank Pecosta, John Jardin, Manuel Veloza, Louis Viea and Manuel Neto.

Hit With Lamp

Mary and Margaret O'Connor pleaded guilty to drunkenness, and a continuance was granted for one week. According to the story of the arresting officer Mary and Margaret, together with another woman, Catherine Trepanier, had been imbibing too freely of the cup that cheers and finally Margaret broke up the party by throwing a lamp at Catherine. That her marksmanship was of A1 quality was proven by the fact that Catherine is still in the hospital, where several stitches were required to repair the damage done.

John's Foot Slipped

A member of the anti-prohibitionists, John J. Lunney, pleaded guilty to drunkenness. John stated that for the past three weeks he has been "working on the ice." John agreed that he must have slipped last Saturday evening, but promised that it would not happen again. "$10," said the court.

For Grand Jury

Three young men, Clifford McDow, Charles Gamble and Harvey J. Currier, were called on continuance on a complaint charging them with breaking and entering the shop of Isabelle M. Timmins on Feb. 28. Through their counsel they waived examination and probable cause having been found by Judge Enright they were each held in the sum of $300 for the grand jury.

The probation officer did a rushing business this morning, and as a result of his activities 28 first timers were given free passes.

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Mr. Page has been in business 53 years. If we compare the business firms prominent 25 years ago with those of today we shall find but few remaining. Doubly few if we go back 50 years. Not one out of every 500 business concerns last 50 years. Mr. Page is to be congratulated on his long reign as candy king of Lowell.

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MEAT		GROCERY	
Fancy Rib Roast, lb	20¢	F'y Tomatoes, No. 3 can,	15¢
Fancy Pork Loins, lb.	23¢	Fancy Head Rice, 3 lbs.	25¢
Round Steak, lb	25¢	Sliced Peaches, lge. can,	23¢
Pork Chops, lb	25¢	Early June Peas, can	14¢
Leg Lamb, lb	25¢	Evap. Milk, tall cans,	12¢

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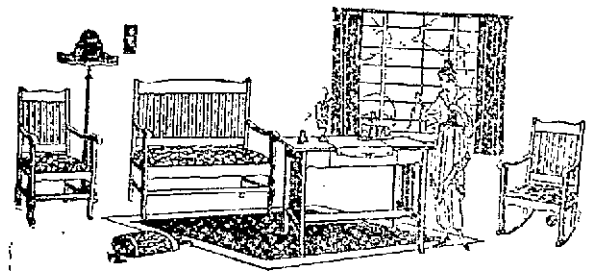

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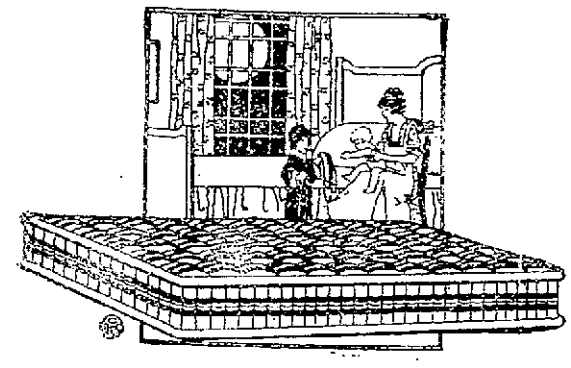

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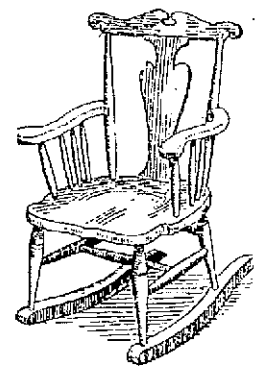

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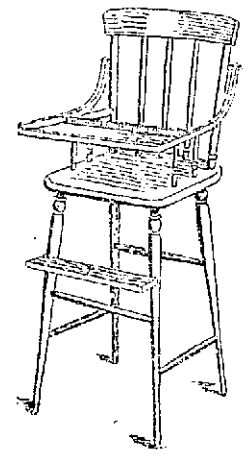

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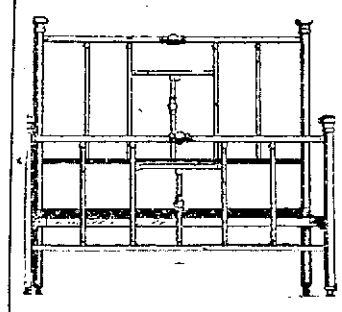

Heavy 2-inch post brass bed, with five heavy filling rods, satin finish, all sizes $17.50

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Heavy mahogany finished frames, upholstered in genuine brown Spanish leather, well made and well finished $55.00

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Solid oak table, with 42-inch top and large drawer and bookrack ends. Rich fumed oak finish $12.98

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Solid quartered oak rocker, beautifully polished, with shaped back and genuine leather slip seat $6.98

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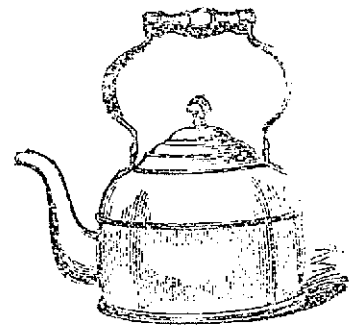

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ONE VEGETABLE DISH .....
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Fine Pique Blouses, with novelty collars and cuffs, in gingham; rose, blue, brown and copen ..... 98¢

White Voile Blouses, dainty styles, fine narrow lace used as a trimming, all sizes to 44 ..... 98¢

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THE DUCK DOESN'T ADVERTISE

One of the best stories illustrating the value of advertising used to be told by the late Booker T. Washington.

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IRELAND

On St. Patrick's day it is customary to review the Irish situation, ever either full of hope or expectancy, or else cast down by betrayal or defeat. The defeat of recent years has not yet been overcome; but today Ireland looks to the peace conference with the yearning hope that in hearing the appeals of small nations for justice, her case may receive favorable consideration.

With the present upheaval in the world resulting from the war and especially since the entente allies accepted President Wilson's plan for the self determination of subject nationalities, it is natural that Ireland, the nation which suffered perhaps most of all, should expect to be included in the number of such nations to be given their freedom by the peace conference.

"But Ireland is a British colony, not a nation," some will say.

Ireland was a highly civilized nation before the aborigines of England emerged from barbarism. Furthermore, as a nation Ireland defeated the Danes in 1014, when they had over-run England and every other country in Europe. Although invaded and persecuted by England, Ireland never yielded her nationality, never ceased to protest and to demand her freedom.

It has been said by her enemies that the Irish could not rule themselves and there are men who will make that statement even today.

The only period of real self government Ireland enjoyed since the British invasion in 1172, was under Grattan's parliament from 1782 until the act of union carried in 1800 by the basest bribery, not of Irish representatives but of barristers and agents of England smuggled into the parliament for the purpose. During that period, Ireland's progress and prosperity demonstrated her capacity for self government.

Since 1800, she has agitated for home rule under O'Connell, Isaac Butt, Parnell and Redmond.

In 1894, Gladstone's second home rule bill was passed by the commons and defeated by the lords.

Since that time, the democracy of England has been anxious to see Ireland granted a full measure of home rule; but the Tories, the aristocracy and the Ulster faction were opposed and are still opposed to granting home rule.

In 1911, the veto power of the lords was restricted and as a result a measure of home rule for Ireland became law in the fall of 1914, but was nullified or held up by Premier Asquith because Sir Edward Carson, representing the Orangemen of Ulster, threatened rebellion and threatened also to call in German assistance in case of coercion. As a result, Asquith backed down and said it was "unthinkable to coerce Ulster," and the present premier has followed his example.

The operation of the home rule law was postponed "for a year or until the end of the war" and Lloyd George showed that the government had no intention of putting it into effect when he said that the ministry was ready to grant home rule if the people could agree upon what they wanted—which meant that all the rest of Ireland must agree with Mr. Carson, who spurns home rule of any kind.

As a result of this betrayal Mr. Redmond died broken hearted, the parliamentary party has been wiped out, and the Sinn Feip party, representing the vast majority of the people, has declared in favor of an Irish republic.

Meanwhile, although the people except in Ulster have been disarmed, the government has held 150,000 troops in Ireland since the Dublin revolt of 1916.

Representatives of the people demand recognition at the peace conference, and have sent a delegation to seek a hearing. But recently, a great many of the state legislatures of this country have passed resolutions of sympathy with Ireland and American citizens of Irish extraction in this country have made an earnest appeal to President Wilson to use his influence in behalf of freedom for Ireland.

What the outcome will be cannot be foreseen, but unless England reverses her policy and grants Ireland independence, the fight will proceed and assume more serious proportions than at any time within recent years.

The world will realize what a mockery is England's avowed acceptance of President Wilson's plan of self determination for small nations if Ireland is still held in subjection under what is in all respects military rule. For the best interests of England and Ireland alike, and for the good will and peace of the world, it is important that this question be settled as soon as possible.

THE RIVER PROJECT

The problem of making the Merrimack river navigable from Lowell to the sea comes once again to public attention through the hearing held Friday at the state house, in Boston. The advocates of the improvement as usual presented unanswerable arguments in its favor. Mr. Andrew B. Sutherland of Lawrence, as usual was on hand with an array of facts and figures proving that the development of the river is one of the most important projects of the kind under consideration in any part of the country. He asserted that no other improvement ever proposed in this state was so essential to the prosperity of our Massachusetts industries.

Some surprise was caused by the statement of Congressman Rogers that the improvement might cost eleven million dollars, as it has been generally understood here that the final estimate of the federal engineers was about $7,000,000. Prices are higher now, but they will probably be normal before the work can be started.

It is to be hoped that the mention of the larger sum will not stagger the legislature and cause it to vote against the measure. Mr. Rogers, however, made a strong argument in favor of the development of the river, showing the advantages it would bring to the various industries of the Merrimack valley in lower freights and direct communication with the seaboard.

This river problem was carried through the legislature before the war but was vetoed by Governor McCall, so that it has to be gone over as if it were a new proposition.

Upon its success depends the ability of the textile industries of Massachusetts to maintain their supremacy as against outside competition. It receives added importance from the proposition to establish a great reservoir at the headwaters of the river in order to equalize the flow in the stream by saving the spring overflow to be used during the months when the water is low.

GERMANY'S PLIGHT

While the entente allies are making out their bills for reparation against Germany, some people in this country may reasonably ask why we do not make out our bill, which would certainly be quite large. Our war debt will amount to $1,250,000,000 per year for the next 25 years.

It would be useless to make up any large claim against Germany for the reason that the country is already bankrupt and can pay but very little until her industries again become active in production of commodities that will command a ready sale in the markets of the world.

The recent speech of Secretary Lansing proves clearly that unless the allies deal very leniently with Germany, the whole country may be overrun by the Bolsheviki, which would entirely prevent the payment of indemnities.

There is another danger that if such a condition were brought about in Germany, the Bolsheviki of Russia would sweep westward and become fully as much of a menace to civilization as was militaristic Germany.

Prompt action and wise statesmanship are needed to overcome the dangers that are now threatening not only Germany, but the nations in western Europe. The decision to feed the Germans in order to avoid disaster is evidently the only acceptable alternative open to the allies. However disagreeable this may be, it is much better than letting Germany be overrun by the Bolsheviki with evil consequences the extent of which no human being could forecast.

DR. ELIOT'S PLAN

Ex-President Eliot of Harvard, comes out with a very elaborate scheme for the preservation of industrial peace. Dr. Eliot is strong on theories and in the present case particularly so. President Wilson laid down 14 points for the preservation of world peace, but Dr. Eliot brings out 18 points by which, he claims, the industrial peace of the world can be maintained. His theories are idealistic throughout, but unfortunately we cannot see any possibility of their application in practice.

Employers, under the Eliot scheme, would have to drop selfishness and give their employes an opportunity to share equally in the prosperity of the business. On the other hand, labor would have to forego many of the things it insists upon in the interest of harmony and co-operation with the employers. It would have to share also in the losses due to business depression, something which few labor unions would subscribe.

Summed up in its entirety, Dr. Eliot's plan is simply one of general co-operation carried out with an unselfishness and devotion of mutual interest between labor and capital that is practically beyond hope of realization until the whole world and even humanity itself be reconstituted.

NEW CALENDAR

The latest proposed calendar reform is intended to divide the year into thirteen months of four weeks each. The plan would be to make New Year a legal holiday and one day every four years also a holiday, to be known as "Correction Day."

There would remain 364 days which would make exactly 13 months of four weeks each. This, it is claimed, would bring each of the moveable holidays on the same day each year. It sounds well, but there are difficulties, one of which is, that it does not count all the days in the year, certainly a matter of some significance.

If some unfortunate person happened to be born on New Year, his birthday would not appear in the official calendar. The new month, to be known as "Liberty," would be inserted between February and March. Monday would be the first day of the month and the first of the week, Sunday being the last. These calendar reformers take a great deal for granted.

ANSWERS ROBINS

Madam Catherine Breshkovsky, the noted Russian patriot, sends out a strong appeal in favor of the Czecho-Slovaks as the people who stand for what is right not only in their own domain, but throughout all Russia. They are strongly opposed to the Bolsheviki, which is a proof that they have some vision as to what is right and wrong.

The writer contradicts the stories told by Col. Robins charging these people with cruel atrocities.

In closing a long article she says:

"It is natural that such excellent people, such examples of bravery and honor, are hated by the Bolsheviki and their supporters, who are in character the very antipodes of the blessed Czecho-Slovak people.

"I will say, in conclusion, that if a man, called as a witness, can insinuate about and slander a whole people and a whole army, known well to all the Russian people as the model of honor and humanity,—what credit can be given to all the assertions made by him at second hand or even, as he says, from his personal knowledge?"

In these matters, most people will take the word of the "grandmother of the revolution."

LOSS TO LABOR

The suspension of the United States Employment bureau in this city, which we understand is to take place, is to be seriously regretted. Without some such office, neither the soldiers nor others out of employment will have any central office through which they can seek employment.

Not only to the unemployed was this office beneficial, but also to the employers, as they found it a ready medium through which to secure the class of help they wanted.

Lack of funds and the failure of congress to make provision for maintaining these offices, explains the necessity of closing them up. It would pay the community to maintain such an office at public expense or through private contributions. Mr. Cronin, the gentleman in charge of the office, has given much satisfaction in the administration of its affairs, and his retirement will be regretted by all those with whom he came in contact.

The French sometimes "go queer" when it comes to giving names to objects. There was a launch in the French navy that needed a name so they decided "Naphtha" was good enough name for just a plain ordinary little naval launch. Life for the launch "Naphtha" was apparently uneventful until one day she took a notion to burn herself up. Then her name was printed in all the French papers and many British and American papers as well. "Who ever would want to take a ride in a boat named 'Naphtha'?" is the question that wound up most of their stories.

"Old age for wisdom," said the sage, but he did not know about Debs and his double jointed tongue. Some men talk as Debs does because they are insane, some for the purpose of keeping up their income, and others because they are not satisfied to keep their convictions to themselves. Debs is like a would-be gambler who always has the misfortune to bet his money on the wrong possibility. It is lamentable that a man of Debs' intellectual possibilities should pervert his knowledge to so poor a cause.

Yes, we'll agree that New York is just the kind of a "nut town" where Mrs. Betty Inch can probably earn a good living for the next two months, showing her stupid self in vaudeville houses with the low famous court "spite fence" as the most important part of her stage properties or to be used as a display for the theatre lobby. It is newspaper publicity that will make gaping New Yorkers curious to pay to see Mrs. Inch's mediocre ankles.

The United States department of agriculture sends out a warning against bogus brands of oil, including cottonseed, corn oil, bean oil and other vegetable oils sold under various disguises for olive oil. This deceptive labelling is a violation of the Pure Food and Drug act.

The individual specially favored at the present time is he who is not pursued by federal income tax collectors. The man who has no taxable income may think he is badly off, but he might feel differently if he had an income and had to hand over 25 per cent of it.

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There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

The letters constantly being published from women in every section of this country prove beyond question the merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

SEEN AND HEARD

Do you realize that the clocks will be put forward one hour two weeks from yesterday?

We suppose that the W.C.T.U. will go out of existence July 1. Their work will be ended.

Not much interest in the Lowell-Lodge debate—only about 50,000 application for tickets were received.

Here's a resolution for New Year's day, 1920: "I do hereby resolve to prepare my income tax statements on or before Feb. 1."

How would you like to buy a seat on the New York stock exchange for $71,000? Rather have a comfortable chair on the front porch, wouldn't you?

Future Bliss

Two out-state monument dealers chanced to meet on the rear platform of a street car, and they were soon talking shop. After they had discussed designs and inscriptions for several blocks, one of the dealers happened to notice that a negro passenger was listening to the conversation with apparent interest.

Turning to the negro, the dealer asked:

"You seem to be interested in tombstones. What do you want on your grave?"

"Say, boss," replied the negro, "I don't want none of them stonemarkers. When I die I want 'em to plant a watermelon vine on my grave and then let the glorious juice soak through."—Indianapolis News.

Way of the Oyster

The oyster has no easy time in reaching maturity and in arriving at that age and size at which men will esteem it as worth eating. They are liable to starve if the water in which they live is not rich enough in the peculiar food on which the oyster nourishes himself, and in addition to famine it has some active and vicious enemies. One of these is the drumfish, and another is the starfish. A drumfish will grind an oyster into fragments, and a starfish, by its arms and suckers, will open the oyster and then by turning its own stomach inside out will absorb it. Then there is a a little marine snail which drills a hole in the shell of an oyster, inserts its snout and extracts the meat. There is also, in some water, a boring sponge called "cliona," which will kill an oyster, and there are other important enemies which are called in some parts of the world dog-whelk and whelk-tingle which bore through the shell of an oyster. But before the oyster takes on his familiar form it has to run many risks. The embryos, or "spats," having left the parent oyster, swim upon or close to the surface of the water with the multitude of other larval and adult creatures found there. It is said that the oyster larvae are only about 150th of an inch long. They are glassy transparent with one or two dark brown spots. In this stage they are food for many fish and things that live in water. When they sink to the bottom they will fix themselves to shells or stones or other hard objects if they can find them, and they soon become little white discs, about a 20th of an inch in diameter. They have then become little oysters, and some of the highest authorities on the oyster say that for about three years under favorable conditions they will increase in diameter about one inch a year. After that the rate of growth is much slower or perhaps it may not gain in size at all. It has been said that an oyster which has attained the age of 20 years is very rare, but that oysters of seven and ten years of age are common. The oyster feeds on small particles that are suspended in the water, and among these are minute plants called diatoms. They are of great beauty under the microscope and are covered with transparent shells of quartz. These and other kinds of food drop to the bottom of the water in a kind of gentle drizzle, and the water containing them pours into the open shell of the oyster and is filtered through the gills. It has been estimated that a full grown oyster, in order to get enough food to live on, filters between 25 and 35 quarts of water a day and builds up its body by the use of microscopic food. The oyster of the genus "ostrea" is found all over the world, in the waters of the tropic and temperate zones, and there are about 70 species that have been identified. The great oyster states are Virginia, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Maryland, Rhode Island, North Carolina, Louisiana and California. Canada produces a small supply of oysters, principally from beds in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and along the coast of British Columbia. After the United States, the greatest oyster-producing country is France, and there oyster culture is carried on with a nearer approach to perfection than elsewhere in the world. Great Britain and Ireland, Holland and Italy are somewhat important producers of oysters in Europe. Oysters do not thrive in the Baltic sea, it being written that the water is not salty enough, for oysters generally demand that the water contain at least 3 per cent salt. The oyster grounds of England, usually beds under culture, are in the Thames estuary and off Whitstable, Colchester and Brightlingsea. The main places in the oyster fisheries and trade in Ireland are Wicklow, Queenstown, Galway, Moville and Ballyheige. Oystering in Scotland is a small industry, and the principal points of the trade are Inverary and Ballantrae. The principal centres of the French oyster industry are Arcachon and Brittany. In Holland oystering is carried on principally in the estuary of the Scheldt, and there is also an oyster-bearing territory known as the Schleswig-Holstein.—Washington Star.

The Gentle Springtime

We hail with joy the gentle spring,
The time when disappears the snow,
And farmers hear the robins sing,
And Sol with warmth begins to glow.

The poet then in ecstasies
Of buds and early blossoms sings,
Of babbling brooks and greening leas,
Of trailing arbutus and things.

But while we hail the gentle spring,
The budding tree, the greening plain,
We must confess that it doth bring
Some little drawbacks in its train.

Our overcoats are thrown aside,
When come bright morns and dewy noons,
And then 'tis mighty hard to hide
The patches on our pantaloons!

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

They tell me that Lowell is not much of a place to carry on the business of selling second hand cars. Second hand cars as a matter of fact, are rather hard to find offered for sale now. I had supposed that to some extent possibly the "jockeying" of second hand cars had superseded the jockeying of second hand horses. I can remember for instance up in New Hampshire, in the vicinity of Manchester, that going to Cavanaugh Brothers' horse auctions on Saturday afternoons, used to be the favorite indoor sport of hundreds of farmers living near that city. There are only a few second hand cars advertised in the papers and even second hand flivvers I find are sold for prices higher than was paid for new flivvers before the war. I wonder if the time is going to return when, by saving a dollar every day for 365 days, you will have enough to buy a good four passenger Ford?

I must congratulate two of our Lowell people today. First young William P. Fury, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fury of 95 Boston road. He has been in the navy since the start of the war and I understand he has now been promoted to be chief petty officer and may soon be recommended for an ensign's commission. He ought to have it, they say. He is a good, clean young fellow and wants to stay in the navy for some time to come. He is a member of the crew of the U.S.S. Bridgeport which at this time is in Brest harbor.

The second man we must congratulate, albeit being a little late about doing it, is Manager Walter J. Nelson of the Merrimack Square Theatre. He is—well, I came near telling how old he is without having asked his permission. I may say he is more than 45. Mr. Nelson is one of the men who has sense enough to make temperance in all things a paramount virtue. That's why he holds his age well. He is a good showman and a good friend.

Well, today is St. Patrick's day, the anniversary of the apostle of Ireland. Mr. Harris of the Harrisonia hotel has loaned me some copies of the Lowell Morning Times that passed out of existence many years ago. No doubt the older generation will remember this well edited paper. In looking over this old paper I find in its issue of Saturday, March 17, 1855, a remarkably eloquent tribute to the life and apostolate of St. Patrick which was written for The Times by the Rev. Robert Court, D.D., then pastor of the First Presbyterian church and an eminent scholar.

Just as many places have claimed the honor of being the birthplace of Homer, similarly several claim the good St. Patrick was born within their confines. Dr. Court, of Scotch ancestry, in the article devoted to an encomium of St. Patrick, claimed that St. Patrick was born in Scotland while other authorities maintain he was born in France. Recently I said to a man of Irish ancestry, "Do you believe that St. Patrick really drove the snakes out of Ireland as Seumas McManus and other Irish writers credit him with having done?" "There is no record of snakes having been found in Ireland since St. Patrick's time, although reptiles were common before his arrival. This is one of many traditions connected with St. Patrick's labors in Ireland; and if not true literally is certainly true in the spiritual sense."

This income tax business I find has created considerable hard feeling in certain places. It is now pretty generally known that federal, state and municipal officials and employes are exempt from some of the obligations of the income tax law and this fact does not of course set well with many persons who have well paid enough jobs so that they have to kick in and pay an income tax. The federal government exempts state employes and the state government exempts federal employes so that, all in all, if you are fortunate enough to be a government employe of some kind you do not have to pay as much of a tax as the average man outside the government service.

WALSH FAVORS LEAGUE

Mass. Senator Speaks at Cincinnati — Urges Irishmen To Have Faith in Wilson

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 17.—Senator David I. Walsh of Massachusetts, who is to be the principal speaker at the Irish Fellowship club's St. Patrick's day celebration here tonight, was entertained at a luncheon last night. In a statement made public concerning the League of Nations and the Irish question, Senator Walsh said:

"I am heartily in favor of the principle of a League of Nations, and I am inclined to think President Wilson is entirely right, although I have an open mind as to proposed amendments.

"There is no doubt of the overwhelming sentiment in America in favor of the self-determination of Ireland and our peace delegates should present the sentiment to the other delegates. I can see difficulties in the handling and settlement of this question, but I can see no difficulty that should stand in the way of letting the world know just what statesmen and nations are opposed to giving Ireland her rights or of getting even the amount of justice and self-government that Great Britain accords Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

"Let Americans of Irish blood be patient. Let our confidence remain unshaken to the end in the great American who has made this war one of ideals, and who has given hope of a new day and a new democracy to the peoples of the world. Above everything, let us not injure the Irish cause by basing our opposition to great public policies on hostilities, prejudices and animosities growing out of European policies.

"The test to apply is whether it is best for America not whether it will lessen the influence and prestige of any other country. In a word, in our zeal and enthusiasm to help the land of our ancestors, let us remember to be Americans first, to stand and fight for American ideals and to promote every great cause that will advance the prosperity and happiness of our beloved country. In that way we shall best help Ireland realize her ideal, the ideal of self-government."

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RACING DOESN'T PAY

Horse Racing Real Sport—Few Trotting Associations Make Money

Undoubtedly there are just grievances that harness race campaigners have a right to complain of. Some of these are the fault of track managements, some the fault of the horsemen themselves, and others are due to causes over which neither track nor horsemen have control. They all simmer down in the end to the fact that racing horses does not pay.

It would seem that no one should expect it to pay. Horse racing is not a business but a sport, and sport ceases to be such when it can be counted on to pay regularly and consistently.

Sport is participated in for pleasure, health, excitement, relaxation, and has to be bought and paid for. Most of those who pass through the turnstiles of racetrack or ball park pay for their entertainment.

If a closely contested race gives one thrills of pleasure, the owners of the contesting horses must experience much deeper emotions of pleasure and excitement. If he wins the money emolument, if he be a true sportsman, adds but little to his satisfaction.

Racing a stable of horses is certainly not a business for the owner, but the maintaining of such a stable furnishes employment for a large number of men, and the training of horses can fairly be termed a business.

The new Harness Horse association, recently organized, which recently held a meeting in Chicago and is to hold another in New York this week, has formulated grievances summarized under "14 points," which it hopes to have corrected. Boiled down, these amount to the fact that racing does not pay—that they "race for their own money," which is undoubtedly true.

They are proceeding under the assumption that racing is a business, instead of a sport. If they succeed in making it a business and profitable, it would cease to exist as a pure sport.

This horseman's association deplores the fact that its interests are not consulted by track owners, and insists on a fuller recognition of "rights," with a representation in the turf governing bodies.

As a matter of fact, in 90 cases out of 100, the horsemen control to a great extent the character and conduct of meetings. Their will is usually law and they get practically what they desire, in the main.

Harness racing has drifted along, to an extent languished and lost its hold on the public because in so few cases have the track managers had the desire or temerity to combat the ideas of owners and trainers when conservative and reactionary.

Few, if any, trotting associations in this country have ever made any money. They have generally been built and largely supported by men who realized that racing is not a business, but a sport.

It is certainly not business to build a racing plant at a cost of $100,000 or $200,000, or more, use it for 12 to 15 days in a year and expect it to make money. Such plants have been built many of them—and the money in the main furnished by hard-headed business men, who did not invest in it as a speculation, but who made a contribution to the support of the sport they loved. Now a new organization takes the view that the trotting tracks, none of which have ever declared a dividend, should contribute more largely to the support of racing. This would seem to be rocking the boat.

With a tendency all along the line to lower the amount of the purses offered by the western tracks of the Grand Circuit, it is gratifying to note that the Hartford Fair Association sticks by its guns and that the "Charter Oak" is to be for a purse of $10,000 this year, as for most of many years in the past.

There are many arguments for large-sized purses. The one mainly used is the cost, but it tends to demoralize racing when $10,000 is waged on the result of a race for a $10,000 purse.

The Hartford association announces another innovation—a race for a purse of $2000, entrance free to the heat winners of the 2.06, 2.08 and 2.10 trotting classes.

This event is called the "Battle Royal" and will be raced on the final day of the meeting, the preliminary races leading up to it taking place earlier in the week for purses of $3000 each.

Other early closing purses at Hartford are $200 each for two and three-year-olds, and $3000 for the 2.06 class pacing.

SAUNDERS FOR TRACK TEAM CAPTAIN

Francis L. Saunders, class of 1920, was this morning elected captain of next year's Lowell high school track team. The men voting were: Mansur, Mullane, Lawler, Saunders, Darling, Hart and Sheldon.

Saunders has competed this past season in the 50-yard dash, high jump and broad jump and won the latter event against St. John's Prep. He is a steady, valued performer and should make a capable leader. He and Darling are the only letter men left over for next year.

It also was decided this morning to hold the annual track team banquet at Page's next Tuesday evening, March 25. As in past years there will be two or three speakers to conduct the post prandial exercises. Sweaters for the letter men of this year's team will be ordered within a few days.

BOYLE AND BUCKLEY TO MEET AT C.A.A.

Ray Cass the new matchmaker of the Crescent A.A., has made a good start, in signing Phinney Boyle, Lowell's leading exponent of the mits, and Johnny Buckley of South Boston, to appear in the main bout of 12 rounds at the local club on Thursday night. Boyle has been boxing like a champion during the last month and his services are in demand throughout New England. His great victory over Charley Parker of Boston boosted his stock considerably, and now all clubs are anxious to show him.

Buckley is looked upon as a man who will make Boyle employ all his cunning, for he has been at the game some time, and during his career has tackled all the good ones. Buckley and Boyle have agreed to weigh 132 pounds and this will allow both to enter the ring in good shape.

In the semi-final, Frank Mollins will appear against Young Josephs, another Lowell favorite.

The Lowell fight fans who stayed at home Thursday night to witness the Defoe-Hayes bloomer were sorry they had not gone to Lawrence to see Boyle and Dixon fight. When they heard there was a bloomer here also they were glad they remained in the Spindle City.—Lawrence Tribune.

Of course, they were, for they got rain checks which will permit them to "sit in" next Thursday without being called upon to auie.

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LOWELL MEN COMPETE

Mansur Scores in High Jump at New England Championships

Warren Mansur, captain of the 1919 Lowell high school track team, tied for second place with John Feeney of Boston English high, in the high jump at the New England championship games at the East armory in Boston Saturday night. The event was won by Walter Whalen of the B.A.A. with a jump of 5 feet 7½ inches, and Mansur and Feeney deadlocked at 5 feet 5½ inches. Feeney won a jump-off for second place medal.

Pat Mullane, distance runner of the local team, started from the 16-yard mark in the handicap "six hundred" but failed to work up any nearer than eighth place. The event was won by O. L. Bardes, M.I.T., with a handicap of 28 yards, which was the limit. Starting with him on the limit mark was W. F. Atwood, also of Tech, a former Lowell runner. Dave Caldwell, winner of the Milrose 600 in New York, started from scratch, but made no attempt to work up through the field.

The games were championships in name only, for the entry list was not overburdened with class. Spiked shoes were barred and only mediocre work was done with sneakers. The high jumpers were particularly effected as the floor was very slippery and the management did not even furnish a rubber jumping mat. Whalen, after clearing 5.7½, tried to take another inch, but failed in three attempts. Mansur has beaten this height time after time the past season and jumped 5 feet 9 inches at the Huntington schoolboy meet a month ago. Whalen's best jump this year, wearing spikes, is 6 feet 2 inches.

The much advertised 1000-yard run, which had Jimmy Connolly, the sensational Woburn high school boy, and Gordon Nightingale of N. H. State college among the starters, proved soft picking for Connolly, wearing the colors of the B.A.A. Dartmouth's relay quartet defeated Massachusetts Aggies, thus settling the disputed race at the B.A.A. games.

WORCESTER WON FAST GAME FROM LOWELL

WORCESTER, March 17.—The Jiggers won from Lowell Saturday night in a fast and well played game of polo, by the score of 10 to 7.

The game brought out a great crowd of enthusiasts, who cheered Worcester without stint and also recognized Lowell's brilliant play at times. Not until the third period did the Jiggers begin to shape the battle to their way. In that period, a ball flicked from a Worcester stick bumped Asquith on the nose, forcing his withdrawal, and this untoward circumstance seemed to affect Lowell's team endeavor, for the Jiggers got busy, and put the game on ice.

For Lowell, Hart, Harkins and Griffith were the stars and for Worcester, Higgins and Taylor played spectacular polo.

The lineup, score and summary:

WORCESTER		LOWELL
Taylor	1r	r Hart
Higgins	2r	2r Harkins
O'Brien	c	c Griffith
Morrison	hb	hb Asquith
Mallory	g	g Fence

FIRST PERIOD

Won by	Caged by	Time
Lowell	Harkins	2.30
Worcester	O'Brien	2.55
Worcester	Higgins	4.00
Worcester	Taylor	.40
Lowell	Hart	2.00
Lowell	Hart	.12

SECOND PERIOD

Worcester	Taylor	5.45
Worcester	Higgins	7.05
Worcester	Taylor	[illegible]
Lowell	Hart	1.45

THIRD PERIOD

Lowell	Hart	1.51
Worcester	Higgins	5.56
Lowell	Harkins	2.13
Worcester	Higgins	4.32
Lowell	Hart	.51
Worcester	Taylor	.40
Worcester	Taylor	1.06

Summary: Score: Worcester 10, Lowell 7. Rushes: Taylor 16, Hart 1. Steps: Mallory 51, Fence 55. Foul: Asquith. Referee: Burkett. Timer, Dowd.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Lowell	50	36	58.1
Salem	47	37	56.9
Providence	45	42	50.6
Worcester	38	41	48.1
New Bedford	36	41	45.0
Lawrence	33	47	41.3

SATURDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS
Worcester 10, Lowell 7.
Providence 8, New Bedford 0.
Salem 6, Lawrence 4.

TONIGHT'S GAMES
Lowell at Salem.
New Bedford at Lawrence.
Providence at Worcester.

POLO NOTES

Lawrence here tomorrow night.

Neal Pierce, said to be one of the best centers in the game, has been signed to replace Muirhead by Providence. He played in Saturday night's game and made a good showing.

Salem made a slight gain on Lowell last week, by winning three out of four while Lowell broke even in four starts.

The Lowell fans and the members of the champion outfit are elated over the decision of "Bob" Hart to stick to the finish, despite his appointment as a baseball referee. Hart gave his word to Capt. Harkins to give Lowell first call on his services, and all know that when "Bob" says he'll do a thing, he means it. Leaving the club at this time would work a tremendous disadvantage to the pennant chances, but we should worry as long as "Bob" is to remain with us.

Lowell will play four games this week. Tonight, the team will tackle Salem in Salem, and tomorrow night Lawrence will come to Lowell. On Wednesday, the whole league rests and following an idle Thursday, Lowell will play at Crescent rink Friday with Worcester. On Saturday, Lowell will play in Lawrence. The schedule for the week is as follows:

Tonight—Providence at Worcester; New Bedford at Lawrence; Lowell at Salem.

Tuesday—Lawrence at Lowell; Salem at New Bedford.

Thursday—Lawrence at Salem; Worcester at Providence.

Friday—Worcester at Lowell; Providence at New Bedford.

Saturday—Lowell at Lawrence; Salem at Providence; New Bedford at Worcester.

The Salem News writer is all het up. He says the referees aren't giving Salem a fair deal. Listen: "The official presented the game to Providence and the gift was received with an ovation from the Gold Bugs players and fans alike. Not so with the Salem sports, who made the trip to Little Rhody and they expressed their indignation in such a way that their disapproval could be heard above the cheering of the Providence fans. The Salem players protested vigorously when Referee Carroll refused to allow a goal caged by Williams, claiming that the ball went through a hole in the side of the cage. Their protests proved of no avail and the point didn't count which would have tied up the score and doubtless would have given Salem the night's game. Capt. Jean got so peeved that it appeared as if he would take his team from the floor and when the Salem captain does anything of this sort there must be something wrong."

The Worcester Telegram says: "The improvement in the game the Worcesters have shown recently is greatly relished by the fans. In Higgins and Taylor the team has one of the best combinations of rushers possible. Higgins is especially effective along certain lines, and of course needs a capable rusher to help him. Taylor is one of the best, and the fans are beginning to realize it, as he is rounding into form and playing the game of which he is capable. Perhaps the most valuable feature of the team game is that shown by Higgins in working with Taylor. The speed which the rushers can show in a dash for the opposing cage and the cleverness of Higgins in handling the ball and Taylor in driving, make them a dangerous pair for an opposing goal tender to resist."

Elmer "Nobby" Knowlton may be seen in the role of polo official. Manager Heffernan has nominated "Nobby" to the league officials to fill the position that is to be made by the retirement of Jesse Burkett, who goes to coach the Holy Cross baseball team. It was the league officials plan to appoint a man from Providence to Burkett's place, but Big Bill has vigorously protested, claiming there are enough Providence men at the present time blowing whistles. Bill wants to see Knowlton in the league as an official and there is no doubt that Elmer can make good. He knows the game which is a whole lot more than can be said of some referees at the present time. "Nobby" isn't afraid to call fouls when he sees them and if he secures the appointment the league will have at least two good men in Kilgara and Knowlton, which is wanted just about the present time, as the race is close and competent officials are needed very badly.—Salem News.

Jess T. Teagarden, a Detroit boy, who has been a bass drummer in France, has brought home the bass drum he used, which he always liked to beat because the pigskin has the kaiser's picture painted on it.

POLO
At Crescent Rink
LAWRENCE vs. LOWELL
Tuesday Night

UP STREAMERS WIN

The Up Streamers had an easy time with the Workers of Chelmsford Centre in their duck pin match Saturday evening. The score:

UP STREAMERS.

Larsen	99	92	80	271
Burns	59	77	79	205
Ireland	75	78	84	237
Hibbs	73	80	85	238
Totals	304	327	318	947

THE WORKERS.

Smith	78	76	109	263
Petrie	78	76	77	229
McElroy	79	68	87	234
Thing	71	77	77	225
Totals	235	297	350	942

K. OF C. BOWLING LEAGUE

The Balboas and the Santa Marias were the winners in the K. of C. bowling league clash Saturday evening. The scores:

BALBOAS.

S. Murphy	87	91	90	271
M. Keefe	96	81	89	266
Roughan	79	92	83	254
Brady	91	84	80	255
Ryan	88	80	89	257
Totals	441	431	431	1303

COLUMBIAS.

Lavigne	92	97	80	269
Hayes	83	86	79	248
McOsker	102	81	76	259
Smith	75	81	79	235
Sullivan	72	76	94	242
Totals	424	421	408	1253

SANTA MARIAS.

O'Neil	81	85	86	252
Mclarney	96	104	96	296
Reynolds	92	95	90	277
Rodgers	103	87	91	281
O'Dea	99	90	88	277
Totals	471	461	451	1383

PINTAS.

Flannery	102	84	88	274
Harley	79	90	106	275
McLoughlin	81	84	96	261
T. Murphy	90	79	90	259
Gaffney	81	80	81	242
Totals	433	417	461	1311

MISTAKES MADE BY BOXERS

"Don't try to beat a man at his game."

That line of advice was handed out by Frank Erne, former light-weight champion, and it should be impressed upon the mind of every aspiring glove man.

Trying to beat a man at his game is suicide in the mitt sport. The dope proves it conclusively. Boxers who are distinctly boxers, should never try to beat a slugger by slugging. Sluggers should never try to beat a boxer by boxing. The advice goes two ways with a mixery.

Back in 1900—on May 11th, to be exact—Corbett met Jim Jeffries then the champion. Corbett made Jeff look terrible through 22 rounds. The champ was slow and he appeared even slower than he was because Corbett was boxing in fine style and poking, jabbing and hooking the boilermaker at will.

But "Gentleman Jim" was not satisfied. In the 23rd round, Corbett began to slug. He thought he would put Jeffries away. Jeffries got peeved that he got rough and stepped Corbett. Had Corbett stuck to his own game—that of boxing—he would have won the title back. Jimmy Britt made the same mistake. On December 20, 1904, he outpointed Nelson by working on the Dane at long range, Britt was a master at boxing. He had no chance to stop the Dane, but he was making him look ridiculous.

On September 5th, 1905, he met Nelson at Colma. He was outpointing Nelson again, but he—just like Corbett—was not satisfied and tried to slug. Well, slugging was Nelson's game and the Dane nut him away cold.

Joe Gans fell the same way. Gans met Nelson at Goldfield on September 3, 1906 and Gans won in the 12nd round on a foul. He played the long range stuff on the Dane. On July 4th, 1908, they met in San Francisco and Gans was not satisfied to use his own style. He tried to slug and went down before Nelson in the 17th round. On September 9th, same year, they met again and Gans again tossed caution to the winds and went down in the 21st round. But let Erne tell it: "Gans told me in November, 1908 that he has made the mistake of his life, but it was too late then."

A Worcester man makes daily trips through Mendon street and other streets nearby, sweeping up broken glass on the sidewalks and carrying it off to a dump, for fear that children playing in the streets may be injured by it.

CENTRALVILLE HEROES

People Across the River Will Honor Their Soldiers and Sailors

Residents of Centralville will do especial honor to the soldiers and sailors from that part of the city who participated in the world war, if plans discussed at a meeting yesterday afternoon in the rooms of the Princeton club in Bridge street are carried out to fruition.

The meeting attracted a crowd which overflowed the quarters of the organization. Walter Cavanaugh, president, called to order at 2.30 and introduced Thomas Tarpey as chairman of the meeting.

A tentative plan of reception to the 2000 or more boys who went from Centralville had previously been outlined by James McNamara and this Mr. Tarpey presented. The nucleus of the celebration would be a parade confined wholly to Centralville and would include, besides the returning heroes, mothers and fathers of the boys, veterans of the Civil and Spanish wars, semi-military organizations, church organizations and various fraternal and social organizations. Bands would be secured and probably a reviewing stand erected to be occupied by the mothers of the boys.

Ceremonies would be carried out at the Hildreth cemetery and would include the placing of a wreath on the grave of General Benjamin Butler as a token of mutual respect to the memory of the general and to the Centralville boys who gave up their lives in the world war.

The plans to date are more or less tentative but as presented yesterday they were approved by all present. Meetings will be held later to perfect details. The date of the affair, of course, will hinge on the date of the homecoming of the 26th division.

Other speakers at yesterday's meeting included John F. Salmon, former Knights of Columbus secretary; Charles H. Slowey, who has just returned from France, and Representatives Henry Achin, Jr., Victor F. Jewett and Frank McMahon.

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Mrs. Charles A. Carey is visiting her daughter, Miss Marion G. Carey of Springfield.

Lieut. Robert L. Williams of Iowa, who has been serving overseas with the 337th Field Artillery, arrived in Lowell this afternoon to visit friends here.

Employes of the water department have completed laying 400 feet of pipe in the boulevard to connect with wells which will be opened there in the near future. This will give the city a much greater supply of water as soon as the work is completed.

Benjamin Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Welch, of this city, has been commissioned an ensign in the navy following a course at the Stevens Institute, New York. He has made one trip overseas and has signed up for three years more of service.

Priv. Alfred A. Rousseau, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Rousseau of 5 McIntyre street, arrived at Camp Devens last Friday after spending 15 months in the service in France and yesterday the young soldier was a visitor at the home of his parents. He expects to be honorably discharged from the service next Thursday.

Daniel McGrath, one of the five employes of Fairburn's market to enter the service, is the first to return to civilian life. He entered the army last June and went overseas as a member of the 334th Artillery and was moving up to a front line position when the armistice was signed. "Danny" is back at his old job greeting his friends with the same old smile that the hardships of the army could not erase.

Lowell's draft boards have virtually finished their work and tomorrow the boards in Divisions 2 and 4 will begin drafting their records preparatory to sending them to Washington. Commissioner George E. Marchand, chairman of Division 2 board, said that he wished to extend the thanks of the board to everybody who in any way assisted it during its two years of existence.

One of the pleasing features of last evening's lecture by Denis A. McCarthy in Lincoln hall, under the auspices of the League of Catholic Women, was the musical number, "The Columbian March," the words of which were written by Mr. McCarthy and the music by Henry Gilday of this city.

A score of young people from the First Baptist church entertained the ladies of the Old Ladies' Home Saturday afternoon with a patriotic sketch, "Somewhere in France," and a delightful program of music. Solos were sung by Mary Bishop, Glenna Walker, Elizabeth Flemings, Richard Simonan, Robert Friend, Jr., and Dorothy Higginbottom. Two pretty solo dances were given by Doris Conley. The entertainment was given under the direction of Mrs. W. H. Pepin.

George Balannis of 95 Prince street has reported to the police that last Saturday while driving his automobile through Dutton street has car was run into by an automobile bearing the Massachusetts registration, 87401. He stated that the chauffeur of the other car did not stop to ascertain as to the damage caused, and also informed the police that the other machine contained a man and a woman besides the chauffeur. The damage was not great.

FRACTURED HIS LEG

At 12.25 o'clock this afternoon the ambulance was called to the Crown theatre in Middlesex street, where a man named James Plato was suffering from a fracture of the right leg, which he received in a fall on the slippery sidewalk. He was removed to St. John's hospital. Mr. Plato's home is at 157 Gorham street.

Assault Liquor Dealer

Continued

tered and inasmuch as the government was not ready to go on with the case, Whalen was ordered to furnish bail in the sum of $200 to assure his appearance in court next Saturday.

According to information given out by Mr. Casserly at his home this morning, Whalen was in his saloon Saturday evening at about 10 o'clock and was endeavoring to create a disturbance. He was ordered by Mr. Casserly to stop his trouble making or get out and he left the place. Mr. Casserly says that when Whalen went out he made the remark to someone that he would meet Casserly later, but the latter believed the incident closed.

"Shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday morning," continued Mr. Casserly, "I left my place of business and proceeded on my way home with one of my clerks, James O'Gara. We went by way of Fletcher street and when at the corner of Lagrange street, O'Gara left me. I continued along and when I reached the city stables two young men, Whalen and another whose name I also gave to the police, jumped from the stable door into my path on the sidewalk. Whalen struck me a blow on the chin with a knife or some sharp instrument and I dropped to the sidewalk. The two then jumped on me and kicked and punched me. I shouted for help and O'Gara rushed to my assistance. When he arrived the two young men were on top of me, but they soon took to their heels.

"I returned to the store and found that the $25 or $30 I had in my pocket was untouched. I then called for a carriage and was taken to my home. Later I sent for Dr. Brennan, the family physician and he took four stitches to close the wound in the chin. I told Patrolman Flaherty of the assault and as a result he and Sergt. McManmon arrested Whalen yesterday. I hope they will get the other young fellow also." Mr. Casserly stated he has known both Whalen and the other young man for several years. He said Whalen was in the service but did not go across, while the other was recently discharged after serving in the trenches in France.

WANT TO KNOW ABOUT MAURICE CASTEL

Supt. Welch of the police department has received a communication from R. Bruynseralde of 7 Thomas Block, Calgary, Alberta, Canada, who is seeking information concerning the whereabouts of Maurice Castel, whom he claimed at one time resided at 441 Moody street. The writer states that he is land surveyor for the Dominion and Alberta and that he is endeavoring to settle the estate of Mr. Castel's father, who died in Belgium some two years ago.

The Maurice Castel referred to in the letter was never a resident of this city, but came to Lowell on several occasions with a troupe of French artists of which he was the manager and principal actor. He is a comedian of wide reputation and his last visit to this city was shortly before the United States entered the European conflict, at which time he performed with his troupe at the Playhouse. Shortly after this visit to Lowell Mr. Castel left this country for Belgium to enter the service and no news has been received from him since.

IRISH MELODIES 'NEVRYTHING!

Broderick's orchestra has a bag full of Irish melodies to please the large crowd which will enjoy the dance to be given this evening at Lincoln hall. Floor Director Harry Keyes has planned a long dance program and St. Patrick's day favors and other novelties will add to the pleasure of the evening.

MORE TROOPS RETURN

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WANT TO REBUILD BOSTON ROAD

Selectmen of Chelmsford appeared before the Middlesex county commissioners this morning at a meeting of the board at the court house to speak in favor of a petition to rebuild the Boston road, which runs from North Chelmsford through the Centre, to Billerica and Bedford, where it joins the main Boston highway. The town has appropriated $12,000 and wishes the state and county each to appropriate a like sum.

The commissioners also held a hearing on a petition to re-locate Dewey and Summer streets in Tewksbury. Selectmen from Tyngsboro were present to ascertain whether the county and state would each appropriate $1000 for repairs on the Hudson-Nashua road provided the town provides a similar amount.

All matters were taken under advisement by the commission: Alfred L. Cutting, Walter C. Wardwell and Erson B. Barlow.

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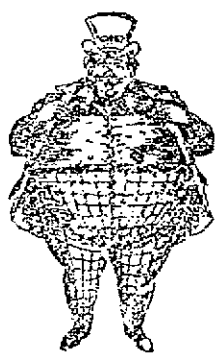

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LATEST

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

HOUSTON, Tex., March 17.—Lieuts. Robert Morsbach and O. D. Davidson of Ellington field were killed last night near Richmond, their plane crashing to the ground as they were nearing the end of a flight from Kelly field, San Antonio.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 17.—Hyman Kopil, a conductor on the street car lines here, has been stricken with encephalitis, commonly known as sleeping sickness.

NEW YORK, March 17.—John McCormack, the Irish tenor, celebrated St. Patrick's day by making application for his second papers for American citizenship. Under the naturalization laws, he must wait at least 90 days after the papers are filed before being accorded a court hearing formally making him an American citizen.

BOSTON, March 17.—George A. Leonard, who has been chief postoffice inspector of the New England division since 1915, today received orders to assume charge of the office at Philadelphia on April 1.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Dealers in foreign exchange expressed surprise today at the further violent break in French exchange, the rate falling from last week's final quotation of 5.53½ to 5.75, after opening at 5.61.

ROTTERDAM, Saturday, March 15.—The negotiations here between entente and German delegates for the delivery by Germany of potash, wood and dyestuffs have ended for the time being.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Rear Admiral Philip Andrews has been ordered from Cardiff to take command of the American forces in the eastern Mediterranean, relieving Rear Admiral Niblack, recently ordered home to become director of naval intelligence.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Payment of allotments and allowances and work of converting soldiers' insurance into permanent government insurance will be continued by the war risk bureau despite the shortage of funds caused by failure of appropriation bills, it is announced at the treasury.

SANTIAGO, March 17.—The volcano of Calbuco, on the coast of Chile, south of Conception, is in eruption and the inhabitants of Casto, on the island of Chiloe, and other nearby towns are fleeing from their homes. Ashes and lava from the volcano are destroying fields and houses.

NEWARK, N. J., March 17.—Prior to a conference today between the Public Service Railway Co., and its 4500 employes who have been on strike throughout northern New Jersey, it was learned that the company had virtually assured the federal war labor board that the men's chief demand—union recognition—would be granted.

NEWINGTON, N. H., March 17.—A wooden steamer on the way at the shipyards of L. H. Shattuck, Inc., here, was damaged today by fire of unknown origin.

MILFORD, March 17.—A quantity of fuses and detonating caps, of the type used to explode dynamite, were found today by the local police in a collection of articles taken yesterday in a raid.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 17.—Several thousand men and women marched here today in observance of St. Patrick's day.

BROCKTON, March 17.—The death of Everett B. Hudson, four years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett G. Hudson, of "sleeping sickness" was reported here today. It is the first case reported in this city.

MORE YOUNG MEN FOR THE NAVY

Two young men were forwarded today by Chief Carr of the Lowell naval recruiting station. They were Thos. E. Farrow, 21 West Third st., Lowell, apprentice seaman for electrician, radio, and Walter A. Costello, 5 School street, Dracut.

FUNERAL NOTICES

PROVINCAL.—The funeral of Alexander Provincal will take place tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Norbert Marchand, 11 Phoebe avenue. Solemn funeral mass will be sung at 9 o'clock at St. Jean Baptiste church. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

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Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, March 17.—Price changes at the opening today were confusing, indicating additional selling for profits under cover of bullish operations in speculative issues. Oils featured the movement on reports of favorable developments in Mexico. Mexico Petroleum, Texas Co., and Sinclair rose 2 to 4½ points on the largest initial turnover in oils for many weeks. Equipments, tobaccos and minor specialties were moderately higher, but rails, shippings, United States Steel and coppers continued heavy or irregular.

Tendencies became more uncertain later on further selling of high grade industrials, especially U. S. Steel, which was offered in lots as large as 5000 shares down to 94¾. Shippings, leathers and motors developed further erratic characteristics and oils yielded 1 to 2 points of their advance. Partial rallies followed on renewed buying of oils and low-priced motors, trading diminishing on the irregular rebound. Another break in French exchange was accompanied by heaviness of Paris 6's but Liberty bonds held today.

All obstacles to the higher trend were overcome during the more active and broader dealings at mid-day. Renewed buying of oils extended to equipments and other issues previously ignored, including utilities and fertilizers. United States Steel recovered its loss and rails hardened.

Metals had their innings later, Harvester and secondary motors also made further gains. The close was strong.

New York Clearings

NEW YORK, March 17.—Exchanges, $584,504,029; balances, $129,656,086.

Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, March 17.—Cotton futures opened steady.

May, old 23.85, new 24.92; July, old 22.85, new 23.85; Oct., old 21.07, new 22.02; Dec. old 22.10, new 21.90; Jan., old 22.00, new 21.87.

Futures closed steady: May, old, 24.03; new, 24.65; July, old, 23.09; new, 23.29; Oct., old, 21.20; new, 21.60; Dec., old, 22.10; new, 21.62; Jan., old, ——; new, 21.47.

Spot cotton quiet; middling 23.70.

Money Market

NEW YORK, March 17.—Time loan steady; 60, 90 days and six months 5½@5¾.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	35¾	34¾	35
Am Beet Sug	75⅞	74½	75¼
Am Can	47¾	46⅞	47
do pf	102	102	102
Am Car & F	91¼	90½	91¼
Am Cot Oil	49¼	45½	45¾
Am H & L	18	17⅞	18
do pf	97	95⅞	95⅞
Am Loco	68¼	66⅝	67¾
Am Smelt	68½	66⅞	68¼
do pf	105½	105⅛	105½
Am Sug	118⅝	118⅜	118⅝
Am Sumatra	113½	113½	113½
Am Wool	54⅝	53	53
Anaconda	61½	59⅝	61
Atch	92¾	92¼	92¾
do pf	86½	86½	86½
At Gulf	116¼	113	113½
Baldwin	90⅛	86⅝	88⅝
B & O	48½	48⅜	48⅜
do pf	55⅞	55⅞	55⅞
Beth Steel A	66⅛	65¾	65¾
do B	66½	65½	66
do pf 8%	104⅞	104⅞	104⅞
B R T	24¾	23¾	24⅞
Cal Pete	27⅞	26¾	27½
do pf	71⅞	71¼	71½
Cent Leather	72⅞	71½	71⅞
Ches & O	58⅞	58¼	58⅞
C & Gt W	8½	8½	8½
C R I & P	24⅞	24⅛	24½
Chile	18¾	18	18¾
Col. G & E	46⅝	45½	46½
Col Fuel	44⅛	42¾	43¾
Con Gas	97¼	95⅞	95½
Corn Prod	52⅞	50⅛	51⅞
do pf	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞
Cru Steel	68⅞	67	67½
Cuba Cane	23¼	23¼	23¼
Den & R G pf	8	8	8
Dis Sec	65	63½	64
Erie	17½	17¼	17½
do 1st	29⅞	28¾	28¾
Gen Elec	157½	156	157
Gen Motors	168	161½	163¼
Gt No pf	94	93¾	94
Gt N Ore ctf	43⅝	42¾	42⅞
Ill Cen	99	99	99
Int Met Com	5⅞	5½	5½
do pf	20⅞	20	20⅞
Int Mer Mar	25⅞	25⅛	25¼
do pf	110⅞	108½	108¾
Int Paper	48	46	47½
do pf	73¾	73¾	73¾
Kennecott	30⅝	30	30⅝
Kan & T	65¼	63⅝	63⅝
do pf	12½	11½	12½
Lack Steel	70	69	69
Lehigh Val	56⅝	55½	55½
Maxwell	40⅛	39¾	40½
do 1st	67¾	67	67¾
do 2nd	32	30¾	32
Mex Pet	189½	185¾	187
Midvale	46¼	44	45½
Mo Pac	24½	24⅛	24⅜
Nat Lead	67	66⅞	67
N Y Air B	113¾	110½	110¾
N Y Cent	76	75½	76
N Y & N H	31¼	30¾	31
No Pac	93	92⅝	92⅞
Pac Mail	33¾	33¼	33¼
Penn	45	44¾	44⅞
Peo Gas	52	50	51⅞
Pan	82⅞	80¾	81½
Pitts	36½	36½	36⅞
Pitts Coal	49⅝	48½	48½
Pres Steel	72⅞	71⅞	72
Pullman	120½	120¼	120½
Ry St Sp Co	79½	78¼	78½
Reading	84⅞	83¾	84
Rep I & S	82	80¾	81
St Paul	39	38¼	38½
Sloss	55	51¾	54⅞
So Pac	102⅞	101⅝	101⅞
So Ry	28⅞	28⅛	28⅞
Studc	64¾	63⅝	64
Tenn Cop	12⅞	12⅞	12½
Tex Pac	34½	33	33½
Third Av	18	16	16
U Pac	130	129½	129½
do pf	96½	94¾	96½
U S I Al	141⅞	135	135½
U S Rub	86¼	84½	84½
U S Steel	96½	94¾	95¾
do pf	114¾	114¾	114¾
Utah Cop	71¾	69¾	71
Va Chem	60⅛	69¼	72
Wab	8½	8	8½
do A	35⅞	33⅝	33⅝
Willys	30½	28¾	30⅝
Wes'house	46¼	45¾	46

BOSTON, March 17.—Prices were irregular in early trading on the local market today. Calumet & Hecla dropped five points, and United Fruit gained two.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
A A Chem	108⅝	107¾	108
do pf	102	101¾	101¾
Ahmeek	67	67	67
Al Gold	3½	3½	3½
Am T & T	105	104¾	105
*Am Wool	54⅞	53	53
Amer Zinc	12⅞	12	12⅞
Butte & Sup	22¼	18⅞	22½
Cal & Ariz	58½	56½	56½
Cal & Hec	190	190	190
Cent Steel	15⅞	15⅛	15⅛
Chino	24½	23⅝	24½
Cop Range	39¾	39¾	39¾
Davis Daly	5	5	5
Greene Can	43½	43	43½
Indiana	16⅞	14½	16½
Isle Roy	24½	24½	24½
Kerr Lake	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
Lake	3½	3½	3½
Mass	1	1	1
Mass Elec	1½	1½	1½
do pf	7¾	6¾	6⅞
Mass Gas pf	70	70	70
Mayflower	2½	2⅜	2⅜
Miami	22½	22⅛	22½
Mohawk	52	52	52
Nevada	15⅞	15⅝	15⅞
No Butte	10	10	10
Osceola	15	15	15
Quincy	56	55½	55½
Ray Con	19¼	19⅛	19¼
Stewart	39¼	38¾	39
Shannon	2	1⅞	1⅞
Shat Ariz	10	10	10
Sup & Bos	2	1⅞	1⅞
Swift & Co	128¼	127¾	128¼
Trinity	2¾	2¾	2¾
U Fruit	174	174	174
U Metal	2⅛	2	2⅛
U Sh M	19	18¾	19
U S Smel	19½	19½	19½
do pf	8⅝	8	8⅝
Ventura	10⅝	10	10⅝
Wolverine	17	17	17

*—Ex-Div.

BANQUET THIS EVE AT ASSOCIATE HALL

Everything is in readiness for the big banquet to be held this evening in Associate hall by the United Irish societies of Lowell in observance of St. Patrick's day.

The banquet is scheduled to start at 7.30 and a most impressive array of speakers has been secured to do honor and pay tribute to the patron saint of Ireland as well as to that country herself. Among the notables who are tentatively scheduled to come are His Eminence, William Cardinal O'Connell, and Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, commander of the 26th Division. The coming of both these gentlemen will depend more or less on circumstances, but the committee is making every effort to have the cardinal come, while Mayor Thompson has said that he will make a personal endeavor to have the general here if only for a few minutes.

Even without their presence, the program will be a noteworthy one and will include such speakers as Congressman John Jacob Rogers, Hon. Frederick W. Mansfield, Mayor Perry D. Thompson, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, Rev. Daniel J. Kelcher, Ph.D., Thomas J. Fitzgerald and others. Monsignor William O'Brien will invoke the divine blessing.

In addition to the speakers an excellent musical program will be carried out and will include the leading soloists of the city. John F. McGlinchey will be the accompanist.

RECEPTION TO RETURNED SOLDIER

A very pleasant reception was tendered Private William M. Murphy at his home, 35 Potter street, Friday evening, when about one hundred of his friends gathered to honor him upon his return from France. During the evening he was presented a substantial purse. Private Murphy entered the service in the fall of 1917 and was assigned to Co. C, 302d M.G. Battalion at Camp Devens. He left Camp Devens early in July for France with the 76th Division and was connected with headquarters company of the 1st Provisional Machine Gun Battalion, later being changed to Co. C, 147th M.G. Battalion, with which he returned to this country, arriving at Newport News, Va., on Feb. 28. He was sent to Camp Stuart, Va., and later to Camp Devens, where he received his honorable discharge last Friday. During the evening an impromptu musical program was carried out consisting of solos by Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Roche, Mr. and Mrs. James Kenny and Mr. George Ashworth. Mr. Paul Harris was the accompanist. Refreshments were served by the hostess after which games were enjoyed till a late hour. Private Murphy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy of 35 Potter street, who have another son, Corp. Peter L. Murphy, in the service, at present stationed at La Havre, France, with Co. H, 182d Infantry of the 41st Division.

LIFT BAN ON RESTAURANTS

PARIS, Sunday, March 16.—Under a new regulation cafes and restaurants will be permitted to remain open until 10.30 p. m. beginning March 20. They will be allowed to employ orchestras after that date.

SOVIETS IN CHINA ARE THREATENED

PEKING, Wednesday, March 12.—(By The Associated Press)—The Chinese government is alarmed over a report from Petrograd relative to the formation of a Chinese workingman's organization with 60,000 members, for the object of carrying on revolutionary propaganda and establishing soviets in China. Inquiries are being made by the authorities as to measures which will effectively check such activities.

OUT OF LUCK

Man Tried To Make Tax at Crap Game

Many funny incidents occurred during the last day for filing income tax returns at the local office, but one that brought down the house and forced the overworked clerks to forget their troubles, came during the noon rush. A young man came here to file, but he was "broke." He was informed that he would have to pay one-fourth of the total tax.

"How much time have I got?" he asked.

"Until midnight," replied the clerk.

"All right," said the young man. "I'll go out and make that at a crap game. Hold it until I return."

But as he never came back, the clerk determined that he must have been out of luck.

Saturday was an extremely busy day, and over 800 persons filed their returns. The men in charge of the local office are elated over the cooperation they received, especially from Postmaster John F. Meehan and Clerk John Murphy, who kept the money order department open until midnight. This enabled many to file who otherwise would have been unable to do so.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The 11th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sculman was celebrated at their home, 48 Ware street, Sundayy afternoon, and a large number of friends and acquaintances of the happy couple were on hand to wish them luck in the future. The party sat down to a pleasing repast, after which several musical and vocal selections were given by well known local entertainers. Among the out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kuvitesky and Mr. and Mrs. William Bornstein of Dorchester, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Rubinovetz of New Bedford.

HIS 91ST BIRTHDAY

George M. Osgood, for years one of the city's foremost business figures, yesterday observed his 91st birthday anniversary at his home, 613 School street. Many friends called during the day to greet him, while others sent best wishes and hearty congratulations. Mr. Osgood retired from active business life several years ago.

NAVIGATION ON DANUBE RESUMED

PARIS, Sunday, March 16.—Navigation has been resumed on the Danube, according to despatches from Prague.

PARADE IN NEW YORK

Soldiers and Sailors Accorded rick's Day Procession Places of Honor in St. Pat-

NEW YORK, March 17.—Soldiers and sailors were accorded places of honor today in the St. Patrick's day parade, in which 38,000 representatives of some 100 Irish societies took part. Conveyances were provided for wounded soldiers. Service men also were the guests of the Irish societies in Brooklyn and other boroughs of the city. John W. Goff, former supreme court justice, led the New York parade as grand marshal.

WOUNDED, SHOCKED AND MARRIED

Wounded in the left leg by a German bayonet at the battle of Arras, shaken by shell-shock, operated on for appendicitis and married to an English girl whom he met in Brighton, England, while he was recuperating, are a few of the interesting experiences which Sergt. Frank Le Clair, a North Chelmsford boy, went through in the three years while he was serving with the 163d Canadian battalion overseas.

Sergt. Le Clair has returned to his home in North Chelmsford with his bride from across the water, having received his honorable discharge from the service.

Le Clair enlisted at Sherbrooke, Canada, Feb. 21, 1916. Following a short period of preliminary training he went overseas the following May and was sent to the front at once. He took part in the second battle of Ypres and was engaged in most of the big battles of 1916 and 1917.

Early in 1918 he was among those present at Arras and on March 25 was wounded in the left leg while rushing with his comrades toward the German lines. The wound was comparatively slight and following a brief treatment at a hospital he went back to the front and was at Amiens until the last of July.

At this point he was taken ill and was sent to England where he was operated on for appendicitis August 5. He remained in the hospital until Nov. 12, the day after the armistice was signed, and was then transferred to the Canadian discharge depot at Buxton, England.

While he was in England he met his bride in Brighton and the two came home on the Scandinavia, leaving Liverpool on Dec. 31. They landed at St. John, N. B., Jan. 10. During the trip five people died aboard ship, among them two soldiers. From St. John Sergt. and Mrs. Le Clair went to Montreal and the soldier was discharged Jan. 28.

Sergt. Le Clair says that the second battle of Ypres was the worst of any in which he participated. He has a young brother who is now in Cologne, Germany, serving with the First Canadian Field Artillery. He has been overseas four years but expects to come home soon.

DISORDERS IN EGYPT

Troops Frustrate Attack on Railroad Station at Tania —22 Casualties

LONDON, March 17.—In connection with other disorders in Egypt, there has been rioting at Tania, on the Nile, 75 miles above Alexandria. On March 12, three thousand persons tried to rush a railroad station at Tania, but the attack was frustrated by troops and police. Twenty-two casualties were reported in a Cairo despatch received here.

A Reuter's despatch under date of March 12 reports extensive riotous demonstrations at Cairo by students and the populace with considerable destruction of property, necessitating the employment of military forces. It is reported that the disorders were easily suppressed without bloodshed.

General Watson, commanding the British forces there, had issued a warning that the country is still under martial law and that meetings and demonstrations cannot be permitted. It is believed that the disorders were a result of recent nationalist agitation.

A despatch to the Mail attributes the trouble to the arrest and deportation of Said Pasha Zaglaul, vice president of the legislative assembly, and others.

TUG SUNK IN COLLISION—CREW RESCUED

NEW YORK, Mar. 17.—While making its way through a dense fog to its pier here with a full complement of passengers, the Colonial Line steamship Lexington from Providence collided today with the Arbuckle Sugar Refining Co., tug Jameson, sinking it instantly. The tug was struck amidships. Its crew was rescued by the Lexington.

VERY GOOD, EDDIE

Through the efforts of Purchasing Agent Edward H. Foye, the water department has been presented an opportunity to purchase 600 tons of New River steam coal at $9.70 per ton, although the lowest price that has been paid in recent years is $11 per ton. Last week Mr. Foye notified the water department that he had been able to have an out-of-town firm quote the low figure mentioned and this morning a requisition from the department arrived in the purchasing agent's office for the entire 600 tons.

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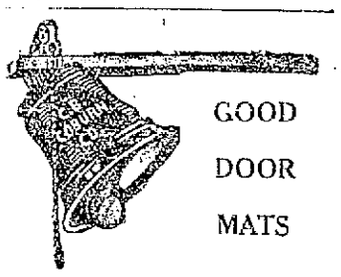

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Few appreciate the importance of Government inspection of meat. And fewer still realize the careful examination of the animal before slaughtering and the inspection of every part as cut up. All meat entering into interstate business must be Government inspected under the Meat Inspection Act of June 16, 1906. All Armour plants operate under U. S. Government Inspection.

Unfortunately, however, there is some meat offered to the public which is prepared in establishments that do not have Government Inspection. Much meat which does not enter into interstate commerce is uninspected. According to official statistics, this covers about 40% of the national meat supply!

Last year, in our establishments, Government inspectors rejected 59,267 of all the animals killed. Nor does this include those condemned on the hoof. On the fair assumption that an equal unfit percentage exists in the two-fifths of America's meat which is not U. S. Inspected, think what present methods may mean to national health! Armour and Company unreservedly endorse Government inspection. Steps should be taken to enforce the inspection of all meats with a thoroughness equal to that of the United States Government. You should take this up with your State legislators. They can bring it about.

True, the condemnation of unhealthy animals costs something. It may also be that you now buy uninspected meats at less than prevailing prices. But, under any circumstances, the safeguarding of *all* public health would be justified at many times present cost. And because condemned animals can be made into inedible greases, fertilizers, etc., as Armour and Company now do, loss can be reduced to a minimum.

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IRELAND MODEL OF FIDELITY

Cardinal O'Connell Sounds Warning in Address at Boston Cathedral

Says Only Christian Ideals Can Save World From Revolution and Bolshevism

BOSTON, March 17.—Speaking to nearly 3000 members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and its Ladies' Auxiliary in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross yesterday morning at the annual communion mass, Cardinal O'Connell paid tribute to the fortitude and valor of the Irish people in maintaining their faith and said that the other nations must learn their lesson from the great example that had marked the passing of seven centuries of suffering and persecution.

The cardinal said if France, England, Germany and America did not learn this lesson their civilization would come to an end. If they thought that life consisted merely of the getting of power, the increasing of products and material things, then Bolshevism was right. Ireland had disputed this, and if she had been wrong in this position, there was nothing left but Bolshevism. That was a logical conclusion, the cardinal said; but he added that Ireland had been and is right.

The mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Joseph McGlinchey, D.D., diocesan director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. At the communion time Rev. Philip J. O'Donnell, Suffolk county chaplain of the society; Rev. William B. Finigan, Rev. William A. Dacey, Rev. John W. Culhane, Rev Dr. Spellman and other priests assisted

Cardinal O'Connell's Address

At the conclusion of the mass, Cardinal O'Connell spoke for the better part of an hour. In part, he said:

"I congratulate you, my dear children in Christ, for the large number present here this morning, to celebrate in the most worthy way possible the feast of our patron saint, St. Patrick, the apostle of Ireland. On this vigil of his feast you come to holy communion, the better to observe his day, the 17th of March.

"The Irish man or woman who loses the faith is so rare and exceptional that they may be counted by units. That faith is so strong that it will stand up against anything—ridicule, persecution or injustice.

"But, my dear children in Christ and loving sons of St. Patrick, do you realize what a wonderful thing that is in the sight of God? It stands out almost unique in all history. Poland comes nearest to it. But nearly all the children of the other nations have sold their inheritance for a mess of pottage. They were willing to be with Christ and His church when everything went well and when it prospered, but it took the Irish to stand out against oppression, injustice and persecution. Even these were not sufficient to dislodge the faith in the Irish heart.

"I have not words to express what that means in the modern order of things. Look at the world and the position it takes. We do not know where we are. No one knows what may happen tomorrow, no one. For 40 years, a whole lifetime, that I look back upon as a young man, a young priest and as a bishop, one thing I remember and recall vividly is that again and again the pontiffs of the church, Leo XIII and Pius X issued repeated warnings that this thing which is now upon us was certain to happen, unless the hearts of men changed and came back to Christ and His church.

Rulers Must Recognize Justice

"What is this, that having eyes and being unwilling to see, and ears and being unwilling to hear? It is the worst curse that ever could come upon people, that could ever come upon the world. When God placed the law of right before them they used the eyes that did not see, a perfectly obvious conclusion. But what is coming out of it all? God only knows.

"It is a certainty that unless the ruling classes—those who have the power in their hands—recognize the eternal law of justice and righteousness and follow them, the world is inevitably on the point of collapse.

"Now tell me, where is the nation on earth today that has anything like the firmness or standing as the Irish nation has for seven centuries against wrong? Look at Russia—Russia at heart is at least a Christian nation; it has the principles of Christianity—taught in churches and schools—but today Russia! What is it? God help poor Russia. They could not stand the brunt of a fierce battle and hold onto right whatever came. They followed the popular leaders who promised them everything.

"Ireland, through thick and thin, overridden by a tyrant race and tyrant power (I am speaking with perfect calmness and no rancor in my heart) Ireland for seven centuries has stood up against the world, against the pride of the world, the riches of the world and the conquest of the world.

"Century after century she was overridden by these hordes, who did not understand the nobility of the Irish soul, who never could. And with all that the Irish people held fast to the cross. You have taken our lives, they said, you have taken our lands and our money, but you can never take God from us; you can never take Christ from us; you can never take the Blessed Sacrament.

"Is there anything more noble under God's heaven than that page of history the Irish nation has written for seven centuries? And now let the other nations learn from Ireland, because Ireland saw what they never can see—God on His throne of justice.

"Now let them learn the lesson, that is the only lesson today, that can preserve any nation on the face of the earth. If the people of America, France, Germany, Italy and England do not learn that lesson then their civilization is gone. If they think that life consists merely of their getting power or increasing products and all these material things then Bolshevism is right. But if Ireland is wrong then there is nothing left for the world but Bolshevism. That is a logical conclusion. But Ireland is right. And the bitterest lesson her enemies must learn is to acknowledge that she has always been right—right in the eyes of God, right with other nations and right in holding on to her faith in God, and most right of all in the sublime endurance which has kept her with a clear head and even heart for seven centuries.

Ireland to Teach the World

"That is a wonderful inheritance for any nation to possess and we are not going to lose it. Let Ireland teach the world today as she did eight centuries ago. The world needs the lesson of Christianity. There are plenty who can take that lesson from Ireland which practiced it in suffering, in torment and persecution. The Irish nation has a right to be heard. She vindicated the right by the spilling of her blood and, if the other nations do not hear it, woe be to them, for the hour has struck. We see it written all over the story of the present day in every nation on earth. Nothing can save the world today but the lesson which Ireland has not only taught but has proved her right to stand for the right, to stand for the truth, to hold to the principles of Christianity at every cost.

"What of tomorraw for Ireland? Well, none can tell except God, Who watches and waits for His hour. Waits patiently as the Irish people waited patiently and it will come. It must come.

"I repeat with perfect conviction that the example of the Irish race is the one lesson which the world must learn—that is, to give up all these merely temporal things and listen to the voice of God, to keep the souls in the life of the spirit above all the dross of earth.

Duties to America

"The questions of capital and labor all come back to this: Did you realize you have an immortal soul? To save that soul you must obey the law of God. Whether you are an employer or an employe; whether a capitalist or laborer; whether you are in the working class or not does not matter. Once that lesson is learned to be willing to give up everything rather than forsake the lay of God, anarchism is at an end.

"We have today our duties as Irish, as Catholics, in the face of these terrible things, our duties as patriots, to prove love of truth that brought forth that wonderful race.

"But this is America. It is our country by birth or adoption and we love it as only the Celtic Catholic heart can love anything and we proved it during the last few years. Who else has done more than we in fidelity to the flag, in fidelity to our nation, in willingness to suffer, in willingness to give up our lives if necessary? No one has done more than the Irish Catholic of America. Of course, the Irish Catholic of Australia and the Irish Catholic of Canada as well, but I am talking now of America.

"Our duty is to our own nation, but it is not merely in time of war to go forth and defend the flag which sometimes looks grim and difficult enough, but in reality it is easier than to live from day to day and year to year lives of fidelity to our country, lives worthy of its finest associations and its fine institutions, lives which mean the working out of law and order and all that can only be done on a spiritual basis. We know that.

"Look at Russia; look at Germany. They have plenty of laws there. It takes religion, it takes the faith of Christ, it takes the grand Catholic faith to realize our real duty.

"In this country, of course, we have not been called upon to face the terrible things that Europe has. But who knows what may be tomorrow? If it does come upon us, this disunion, disorder, discord, what can withstand it but Christian lives?

"The principle of it is all summed up in one word. The one thing that can keep this country in order and under law with the proper relations between the various classes—capital and labor—and solve all the other problems, including Bolshevism, is a clean conscience before God, the secret of obeying the law of God, of sacrificing everything except truth or right.

"The Irish Catholic keeps alive today the principles of his faith implanted in his heart by his ancestors. That has triumphed over everything. It will triumph today and tomorrow."

WOMAN SUFFRAGE MEETING

An mportant meeting in the interests of woman suffrage will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the board of trade, 119, 119 Merrimack street. The speaker will be Mrs. Anna Tillinghast, of Cambridge, who is chairman of the legislative committee of the Massachusetts Suffrage association.

The meeting will be of particular interest at the present time inasmuch as suffragists all over the country are confidently looking forward to the passage of the suffrage amendment by congress and the subsequent ratification of it by Massachusetts. Efforts are being made to have Massachusetts line up as one of the first states to favor the amendment and this evening's meeting will be one of a series to stir up sentiment among the general public so that it will find reflection in the legislators of this district.

The meeting is open to the general public and all who are interested in the suffrage question are cordially invited to attend.

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DEATHS

WALTON—America Walton died Saturday afternoon at his home, 273 Appleton street, aged 83 years. He leaves his wife, Sophronia H. Walton; two daughters, Mrs. Effie Kittredge of this city and Mrs. Maude L. Dean of Providence, R. I.; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild. He was a member of Post 12, G.A.R.; Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men, and a charter member of the Order of American Mechanics.

MUNRO—Margaret Munro, sister of the late Mrs. Enoch Foster of Tewksbury, died February 26, at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Nicholson, 350 Biren avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

HORNBY—William A. Hornby died last night at the Lowell General hospital, aged 26 years. He was a resident of 38 Staveley st., and leaves three brothers, Bernard and Benjamin of Fall River, and John Hornby of Los Angeles, Cal.; five sisters, Miss Florence Hornby and Mrs. Joseph Singleton of San Francisco, Mrs. Ethel Illsley of Fall River, Mrs. Lily Isherwood of New Bedford and Mrs. Seth Fawthrop of this city. He was a member of Ancient York lodge of Masons and of Rose Croix Chapter of Masons and Waverly lodge, Sons of St. George.

PAQUIN—Mrs. Florida (Prive) Paquin died Saturday night at the Tubercular hospital in Lawrence, aged 25 years and 4 months. She leaves her husband, Leopold and one son, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Prive, and several brothers and sisters. The body was removed to the home of her parents, 42 Exeter street, this city, by Undertaker Joseph Albert.

VEZINA—Joseph Vezina, aged 41 years and 4 months, died yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Domilida Pelletier, 141 Aiken street. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Pelletier and Mrs. Masse Sauve of Valleyfield, P. Q.; also one brother, Adelard Vezina of Valleyfield, P. Q.

BOULGER—Eugene Boulger died yesterday at the South Lawrence hospital after a long illness, aged 50 years. He was a well known resident of Lowell and for a number of years was employed as a salesman for the A. E. O'Heir Furniture Co. He was a member of the Lowell Aerie of Eagles and Court General Dimon, F. of A. He leaves three sons, Arthur, Joseph and Eugene Boulger, Jr., one sister, Mrs. Mildred Calnin of Quincy. The body was removed to the funeral rooms of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MAHONEY—John H. Mahoney, chairman of the board of registrars of Billerica and one of the most respected residents of the North village, died Saturday night at St. John's hospital, following an operation which was performed Friday. Deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary E. (Costello) Mahoney; a son, Raymond; a daughter, Margaret; four brothers, Dennis J., Neil R., postmaster at the North village; Patrick J., manager of the Merrimack Clothing Co., and Arthur L., all residents of North Billerica; four sisters, Mrs. John Coughlin of Lynn, Mrs. Roland Conway of Watertown and Misses Bee and Anna Mahoney of North Billerica. Mr. Mahoney had been a resident of North Billerica for over 30 years and always took an active part in town and church affairs, he being a devout attendant of St. Andrew's church. He was one of the charter members of the Father Mathew Total Abstinence society and one of its former presidents. At one time he was president of the Holy Name society of St. Andrew's church.

GORAS—Walter Goras, infant son of Frank and Rose Goras, died Saturday evening at the home of his parents, No. 1 rear of 151 Lakeview avenue, aged 3 months. Funeral took place this morning, burial being in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

CUNNINGHAM—Mrs. Ellen (Roach) Cunningham, widow of Almond Cunningham and formerly of this city, died a few days ago in Seattle, Washington, where she had been living with her daughter, Miss Dorothy Cunningham. Besides her daughter she leaves two sons, Albert A., and Clarence E. Cunningham and two nieces and a nephew. The body will be brought to Lowell and taken to the chapel of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CANFFOMIHALES—Olgar, aged 5 months, died this morning at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Canffomihales, 8 Clark street. Burial took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

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FUNERALS

LOGAN—The funeral services of Thurlow W. Logan were held yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Carlton avenue, East Chelmsford, at 2.30 o'clock and were largely attended. Rev. J. Harold Dale, pastor of the Orthodox Congregational church of Billerica Centre, officiated. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Dale. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

HOLLINGWORTH—The funeral of Donald F. Hollingworth was held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph K. Hollingworth, 164 Jewett street, yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. George B. Marston, pastor of the Fifth Street Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by a quartet composed of Robert Hollingworth, Ernest Ingalls, Miss Lilly Dyson and Miss Edith MacDonald. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PHELPS—The funeral services of Chester R. Phelps were held at his home, 16 Nichols street, Saturday afternoon. Rev. A. C. Archibald, pastor of the First Baptist church, assisted by Rev. J. E. Dinsmore, former assistant pastor of the same church, officiated. Chester Haire, a relative of deceased, sang "Asleep in Jesus" and "Face to Face." The floral tributes were very beautiful. The bearers were J. W. Haire, D. A. Floyd, C. S. Randlett, P. R. Randlett, C. D. Haire and G. H. Noyes. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery where Rev. J. E. Dinsmore read the committal service. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

ROBINSON—The funeral of Edna May Robinson took place Saturday afternoon from the home of her parents Richard and Margaret Robinson, 27 Albert street. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers C. H. Molloy's Sons.

ALLARD—The funeral of Miss Sophronie Allard took place this morning from the home of her sister, Mrs. Julie Fournier, 95 Salem street. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Aurelien Mercil, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Charles Denizot, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O.M.I., as sub deacon. The bearers were Alfred and Henri Fournier, Edouard Matthieux, Napoleon and Alfred Bernier and Fabien Lavallee. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

MASS NOTICE

An anniversary mass of requiem will be sung Friday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Peter's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Sabina (Rynne) Pope. Friends are invited.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange anything try a Sun want ad.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BOULGER—The funeral of Eugene Boulger will take place on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. High mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

HORNBY—Died in this city, Mar. 16th, at the Lowell General hospital, William A. Hornby, aged 26 years. Funeral services will be held at his home, 38 Staveley street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MAHONEY—The funeral of John H. Mahoney will take place tomorrow morning at 8.15 o'clock from his home, 49 Wilson street, North Billerica. High mass of requiem at St. Andrew's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

MASS NOTICE

There will be an anniversary mass at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Sacred Heart church for the repose of the soul of John Joseph O'Donnell, who lost his life on the U.S.S. Manley.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of John Joseph O'Donnell who lost his life on the U.S.S. Manley March 19, 1918.

If I were with you till the last
And held your dying hand
And heard the last sigh from your heart,
I would not feel so bad.

I did not know the pain you bore,
I did not see you die,
I only know you went away
And never said goodbye.

Sadly and sorrowfully missed by his parents,
MR. and MRS. BART. O'DONNELL,
and his sisters and brothers.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our most sincere thanks to all our friends and relatives who so kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement at the death of our beloved aunt and friend, Miss Nellie Nagle. We also feel very grateful to those who sent floral offerings and spiritual bouquets.

MISS NELLIE DESMOND.

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Y.M.C.A. ANNUAL BOYS' DAY

The annual boys' day of the Lowell Y.M.C.A. was held Saturday and eight teams canvassed the city for funds to aid in the carrying on of their activities at the association the coming year. A sum of $696.03 was collected. Team H standing at the head of a contribution of $222.07. The boys met twice to report, at the noon hour and again in the evening. Members of the Ladies' auxiliary served dinned and Samuel H. Thompson, president of the association, spoke. The individual prize was won by Ned Holden of Team H. whose collection bag contained more than $50.

One-half of the money raised will be used to make much needed improvements at the summer camp at Lake Nabnasset, while the other half will be turned over to the state organization.

The general chairman of the boys' day was T. Harold Sanders.

HEARING POSTPONED

The hearing for the adjustment of fare zones in Billerica on the Bay State Street Railway line, scheduled to be held this evening before the board of selectmen, has been indefinitely postponed, for the board has decided to adopt other measures to settle the question.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Bridget Howard, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank H. Howard of Lowell in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m. 5-10-17.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Alma Brunelle, of Lowell, in said County, that she was lawfully married to Joseph Brunelle, now of parts unknown, at St. Jude, in the Province of Quebec, Canada, on the twenty-eighth day of October, A. D. 1902, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Joseph Brunelle have never lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, but the said libellant has lived and resided in this Commonwealth for more than five consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Joseph Brunelle, being wholly regardless of the same, at St. Hyacinthe and at St. Helene in the Province of Quebec in the Dominion of Canada, on or about the twelfth day of January, 1910, and on divers other days and times, was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards your libellant; and at St. Helene aforesaid on said twelfth day of January, 1910, utterly deserted her and has continued such desertion from that day to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Joseph Brunelle, and that she may be given the custody of their three minor children, to wit: Elzear Brunelle, 15 years old; Antoinette Brunelle, 12 years old, and Alphege Brunelle, 10 years old.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1919.

ALMA BRUNELLE.

m8-10-17

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph d'Avila, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Cornelius J. O'Neill of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m8-15-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 6, A. D. 1919.

CITY OF LOWELL
Office of the License Commission

March 15, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that all licenses to use or employ wagons, carts, sleighs or other vehicles in the job or express business, or to use or employ hackney coaches, cabs, coupes or carriages to convey persons from place to place for hire, will expire March 31, 1919. Applications for renewal of such licenses should be made at this office not later than noon, March 22, 1919.

Licenses for pawnbrokers, common victuallers, to sell ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's day, public lodging houses, junk dealers, junk collectors, dealers in second hand articles, old gold, etc., keepers of employment offices, billiards and pool tables and bowling alleys, expire April 30, 1919, and applications for renewals should be made not later than Friday noon, April 18, 1919.

By order of the License Commission,
JOHN J. FLAHERTY, Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents George P. Richardson, of Somerville, in said County, that he was lawfully married to Nellie M. Richardson, now of Pittsburg, County of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, at Somerville, Middlesex County aforesaid, on the eleventh day of October, A.D. 1899, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Nellie M. Richardson lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Somerville; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Nellie M. Richardson being wholly regardless of the same, at said Somerville on or about the twenty-ninth day of February, A.D. 1916, utterly deserted the libellant, and said utter desertion has continued for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Nellie M. Richardson. Dated this sixth day of March, A.D. 1919. GEORGE P. RICHARDSON.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, March 7, A.D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Thomas Gargus, of Lowell, in said County, that he was lawfully married to Maryanna Gargus, now of Pogon, Russia, at Chelach, Russia, in the month of June, A. D. 1891, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Maryanna Gargus lived together as husband and wife, at said Pogon, Russia; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Maryanna Gargus, being wholly regardless of the same, at said Pogon, Russia, in the month of September, 1908, utterly deserted him, and has continued such desertion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel: that your libellant has resided in this Commonwealth for five years next preceding the filing of the libel, and that such removal was not for the purpose of obtaining a divorce.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and said Maryanna Gargus.

Dated this twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1919.

His
THOMAS X GARGUS,
Mark

Witness to mark, Bennett Silverblatt.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 1, A. D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

m7-10-17

To Rosina Di Berto—By virtue and pursuant to the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Rosina Di Berto of Billerica, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to Enrico Di Profio of Lowell, in said County, dated April 28, 1916, A.D., and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 5a4, Page 26, and for breach of the conditions of said mortgage deed, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, said property will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Tuesday, April 1st, at 2 o'clock p. m. all and singular the said premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and said premises to be sold pursuant to the power contained in said mortgage as aforesaid are described as follows: to wit—Three certain lots or parcels of land situated on Fordway Road in Billerica in said County and Commonwealth and being lots numbered two hundred eighty, two hundred eighty-one and two hundred eighty-two (280-281-282) as shown on Plan of Lots at Fordway Park belonging to J. W. Wilbur Company, recorded in Book of Plans, 13, Plan 5 in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds. Said lots taken together measure sixty-two and 55-100 (62.55) feet on Fordway Road: eighty-nine and 8-10 (89.8) feet on Chestnut street; sixty (60) feet on lot numbered two hundred seventy-seven on said plan; one hundred eight and 4-10 (108.4) feet on lot two hundred seventy-nine, on said plan. Containing taken together according to said plan five thousand nine hundred forty-six (5946) square feet, with the buildings thereon. Being the same premises conveyed to Rosina Di Berto by deed dated April 20, 1916, and recorded in Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 552, Page 550.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unsatisfied or outstanding taxes thereon, tax, titles, Federal, State or Municipal liens and assessments if any there be, as well as a first mortgage of one thousand dollars ($1000). Terms are as follows:

Two hundred dollars to be paid in cash ($200) at the time and place of the sale and balance in ten days thereafter at the law office of J. Joseph Hennessy, 218 A Hildreth Building, Lowell, Mass. Other terms to be announced at the time and place of the sale.

Lowell, Mass., Feb. 28, 1919.

His
ENRICO DI X PROFIO
Mark

Witness to Signature:
J. JOSEPH HENNESSY,
EUGENE GROSSE.

m 4-11-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Clarence M. Hersey, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Nettie P. Hersey, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety of her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the nineteenth day of March A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

An the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Catherine E. Bodkin, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by John P. Cryan and Thomas Ultican Bodkin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March A.D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

M 3-10-17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Abigail Jaquith, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Franklin Jaquith, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m12-17-24

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Bessie L. McCuish, of Malden, in said County, that she was lawfully married to William A. McCuish, now of Sanbornville, Carroll County, State of New Hampshire, at said Malden, on the twenty-seventh day of February, A.D. 1909, and thereafterwards your libellant and said William A. McCuish lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at said Malden: that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said William A. McCuish being wholly regardless of the same, at said Malden on or about the second day of January, A.D. 1919, and upon divers other occasions was guilty of cruel and abusive treatment towards the libellant.

Second: The said William A. McCuish has contracted gross and confirmed habits of intoxication, caused by the voluntary and excessive use of intoxicating liquors.

Third: The said William A. McCuish committed the crime of adultery with divers persons whose names and addresses are to the libellant unknown.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said William A. McCuish. Libellant prays for the custody of the minor children of said marriage, to wit: George N. McCuish, 18 years old, William, 15 years old, Kenneth, 13 years old, and Albert A. McCuish, 6 years old. Libellant prays for alimony, and for alimony pending the libel. Dated this sixth day of March, A.D. 1919.

BESSIE L. McCUISH.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Superior Court, March 7, A.D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libellee as set out in the libel, that he may then and there show cause, if any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk

Dunstable, Mass., February 24, 1919.
To the Middlesex County Commissioners:

Respectfully represent the undersigned Inhabitants of the town of Dunstable, in said County, that the road from Tyngsboro from the Dunstable town line through the village of Dunstable and thence by way of Pleasant Street and the road to Pepperell, which has been improved by State aid, should be relocated and specifically repaired, from the Dunstable-Tyngsboro town line to the Dunstable and Pepperell town line.

Wherefore we pray that you will relocate and direct specific repairs on said highway.

Also that the Groton road from said road to Pepperell to the Groton town line is in need of relocation and specific repairs, and we, therefore, pray that you will relocate and direct specific repairs on said Groton road.

JAMES E. KENDALL and Five Others.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, to wit, by adjournment at said Cambridge on the sixth day of March, A.D. 1919.

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Court House in Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on Monday, the twenty-first day of April, A.D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, by serving the Clerk of the town of Dunstable, with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper printed at Lowell, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said town of Dunstable fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon attest,

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the petition and order thereon attest.

ALBERT A. FILLEBROWN, Deputy Sheriff.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Harold A. Varnum, late of Lowell in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur C. Varnum, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m15-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Marie D. Arsenault, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Arthur Arsenault, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-sixth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, is any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m12-17-24

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

Respectfully libels and represents Frank Needham of Lowell, in said County, that he was lawfully married to Emma Cecilia Needham, now of parts unknown, at Lawrence in the County of Essex, the fourteenth day of August, A. D. 1909, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Emma Cecilia Needham lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Lowell, in the County of Middlesex; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Emma Cecilia Needham, being wholly regardless of the same, at Lowell at various times between April 1, 1918, and the date hereof has been guilty of adultery with a co-respondent known to your libellant and your libellant further represents that there has been born of said marriage one daughter, Alice Gertrude Needham, born December 2, 1909.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Emma Cecilia Needham and that custody of the said child may be awarded to him.

Dated this sixth day of August, A. D. 1918.

FRANK NEEDHAM.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Superior Court. March 10, A. D. 1919.

Upon the foregoing libel as amended it is ordered that the libellant notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon, to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the last known residence of the libellee, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel as amended and of the order thereon.

Attest, WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

m12-17-24

Chelmsford, March 5, 1919.
To the Middlesex County Commissioners:

Respectfully represent the undersigned inhabitants of the town of Chelmsford, in said County, that the Acton Road, in said town, should be specifically repaired.

Wherefore, we pray that you will direct specific repairs on said highway.

WM. E. BELLEVILLE, and Ten Others.

A true copy.
Attest,
BERNARD F. GATELY, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, to wit, by adjournment at said Cambridge on the fourteenth day of March, A. D. 1919.

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Court House in Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on Monday the twenty-first day of April, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, by serving the Clerk of the Town of Chelmsford with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper printed at Lowell, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in said Town of Chelmsford, fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon.
Attest,
WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest,
BERNARD F. GATELY, Deputy Sheriff.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To Rose I. Courchaine, Anita Beauchain, Alice Beauchain, Leo Beauchain, Claire Beauchain, Aurore Beauchain and Josephine Beauchain, all of Lowell in said County of Middlesex, minors, Louis Beauchain, Alfred Beauchain, Donat Beauchain, Anna Bergeron, Nestor Beauchain, Rosa Beauchain, Henri Beauchain and Rosella Lowrey, all of said Lowell, John Beauchain of Saugus in the County of Essex, minor, Charles Beauchain, Rose Murray and Eva Humphries, all of said Saugus, Charles L. Beauchain and Edith Hurd, both of Lynn in said County of Essex, and Napoleon Beauchain of Montreal in the Province of Quebec and Dominion of Canada, and Harold J. Lowrey and Geraldine C. Lowrey, minors, both of said Lowell.

Whereas, Alfred Beauchain, the younger of that name, and Joseph Beauchain, as they are trustees under the will of Anna Courchaine, late of said Lowell, deceased, have presented to said Court their petition praying for instructions in regard to the disposition of the fund held by them in trust under said will;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be holden at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of April, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you who may be found in said Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court, or if any of you shall not be so found, either by delivering a copy thereof to you wherever found or by leaving a copy thereof at your usual place of abode, or by mailing a copy thereof to you at your last known post office address, fourteen days, at least, before said Court; and also, unless it shall be made to appear to the Court by affidavit that you all have had actual notice of the proceeding, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be seven days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m14-17-24

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of James E. Freeman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ralph W. Freeman, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m8-10-17

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Georgie M. Freeman, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ralph W. Freeman, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the eighteenth day of March, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspapers published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

m8-10-17

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6.57	8.00	9.00	9.41
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7.56	8.37	12.30	1.13
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9.59	10.55	2.15	3.15
11.13	11.58	2.50	3.43
12.15	1.08	4.00	4.44
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.27
2.45	3.41	5.00	5.44
b3.30	4.19	b5.21	6.37
4.14	5.00	5.33	6.36
4.17	5.26	b5.48	7.10
5.39	6.40	6.14	7.23
b6.03	7.25	7.00	8.43
7.33	8.24	8.30	9.13
9.00	9.45	10.30	11.40
9.45	10.31	11.30	12.38

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To Boston Lve.	To Boston Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Fr. Boston Arr.
6.33	7.30	z6.35	8.21
16.58	12.02	10.45	11.53
5.14pm	6.45	3.25	4.40
7.12	8.25	6.14	6.13
9.50	11.01	6.55	8.20
		9.53	11.13

Sunday Trains Portland Division

12.07	1.30	3.29	4.13
3.40	4.46	5.10	6.43
5.41	7.10	8.45	9.60
8.55	10.05		

Sunday Trains Southern Division

6.15	7.30	8.45	9.53
7.22	8.10	9.30	10.11
8.25	9.35	1.00	2.08
9.19	10.12	5.30	6.20
10.20	11.17	7.15	8.20
2.52	3.33	8.00	8.43
5.08	6.06	8.50	9.13
8.20	9.05	9.35	10.55
8.60	10.00	10.35	11.14
9.45	10.40		

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Germans Reject Peace Treaty

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ferred to the reported aspirations of France respecting the Rhineland and to Poland's claims to Danzig as "crimes."

"What is German will remain German," he continued.

As far as the demands for compensation were concerned, he declared that Germany would reject any demand that applied to acts committed after December, 1918, when Germany made her first peace offer. There was no moral obligation upon Germany regarding compensation aside from the case of Belgium, he argued. In that case, Germany would act honestly, he said.

WILSON RESTS AFTER BUSY DAY

PARIS, Sunday, March 16.—President Wilson, somewhat fatigued by his sea journey and the busy days spent since his arrival here, remained in bed until noon today. He received Colonel House during the afternoon and discussed the military and naval terms of peace, as well as the results of the Brussels conference relative to shipping and the supplying of food to Germany. Later he drove to St. Germain with Mrs. Wilson, returning to the White House at about 7 o'clock.

TEST QUESTION FOR HUN DELEGATES

LONDON, March 17.—The test question for the German delegates at the peace conference will be the west bank of the Rhine, says a Berlin despatch to the Mail. The delegates will be authorized to break negotiations if this matter is forced upon them, and in this case the cabinet will support the delegation and will resign, if the national assembly takes a different attitude.

TO REVISE BERNE CONVENTION OF 1890

PARIS, Sunday, March 16.—The commission on international railway communication has decided to revise the convention signed at Berne in 1890, which previous to the war governed international railway traffic, according to the Echo de Paris. The commission has rejected a plan which would establish an international administration of main lines of railway under the control of the League of Nations, it is said.

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DEATH OF DR. F. R. RIX

Was Prominent in Lowell Musical Circles a Quarter Century Ago

NEW YORK, March 17.—Dr. Frank Reader Rix, widely known in this city and New England as a teacher of music, died in a hospital here yesterday after a long illness.

Dr. Rix was born in Lowell, Mass., 65 years ago. After graduating from

FRANK R. RIX

Harvard college in 1875, and studying at the New England Conservatory of Music, he became director of music in the Lowell public schools and coached singing societies in Lowell, Concord, N. H., and other New England cities. He came to New York 18 years ago.

Dr. Frank Reader Rix will be remembered by Lowell people, although he left this city many years ago. During his life here he was closely identified with all musical activities, although he first began his professional life as a physician. Between the approximate dates of 1880 and 1895 he served as chorister and director of music at the First Universalist church, and also was organist at the Eliot and Kirk Street churches at different times. He served as supervisor of music in the Lowell public schools from Jan. 6, 1896 to Oct. 30, 1898, being elected to this office by the school committee headed by Andrew G. Swapp and having as its personnel, Azro H. Schoolcraft, Thomas J. Mulligan, George F. Thomas, William J. Kelley, Hugh F. Farley, Dr. G. Forrest Martin, Willard Everett and Albert G. Thompson. He succeeded Walter E. Owen in this office, and in turn, was followed by Frederick O. Blunt, the present supervisor.

Dr. Rix married Ella Plumado of Lowell and five children were born to them. He lived for a time in Hurd street and afterwards removed to Chelmsford.

EX-KAISER SAWS WOOD

Has Cut Up 1000 Trees Since Taking Refuge in Holland —$30 Worth of Work

AMERONGEN, Saturday, March 15.—(By the Associated Press)—Former Emperor William today completed sawing into logs his thousandth tree since he took refuge at Count von Bentinck's castle here, last fall. From the thousandth tree, a few logs were converted into souvenirs of the achievement and marked in red ink with the inscription "W-2." These were presented to members of the Bentinck family and to those who have assisted the ex-emperor in his work during the last 10 weeks.

As he was completing his task, a young countess took a snapshot of Herr Hohenzollern and his assistants, Dr. Foerster and Captain von Isemann, together with the young gardener who adjusts the logs on the bench for the ex-ruler to saw them. The picture included the former empress, who was reading a newspaper nearby.

Expert sawers of the neighborhood compute the value of the wages at the trade union rate at about $20 for the whole period, or an average of 50 cents per working day, which usually consists of three hours.

"PRINCESS PATS" RETURN HOME

HALIFAX, N. S., March 17.—The famous "Princess Pats," Canada's first troops to fight on French soil, returned home today on the steamship Cartonnia from England. The 49th Battalion and the 40th and 50th Canadian Mounted Rifles also were aboard.

Before taking your train home from Boston get The Sun at either news stand in the North station.

GERMAN OFFICER SLAIN

LONDON, Sunday, March 16.—General Count Sixt von Arnim, commander of the German army in Flanders during a large part of the war, has been beaten to death by peasants at Asch, Bohemia, according to a Paris despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. It is said that he shot at peasants gathering firewood on his property and that the mob invaded and pillaged his chateau after killing him.

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COL. ISAAC F. KINGSBURY, VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR, DIES AT HARTFORD

HARTFORD, Conn., March 17.—Col. Isaac F. Kingsbury, a veteran of the Civil war, who lived at Newton, Mass., until a few years ago, died yesterday at the home of his son, Dr. I. W. Kingsbury. Col. Kingsbury served with Company K, 32nd Massachusetts Volunteers, and took part in the battle of Gettysburg. He was wounded at Cold Harbor. He was customs officer at Boston from 1865 to 1872, and had held several public offices in Massachusetts. He was 78 years old.

FRENCH BUDGET

PARIS, Sunday, March 16.—The budget commission of the chamber of commerce has decided to introduce a civil budget of $520,000,000 for the first three months of 1919.

Under the provisions of Section 43, Chapter 590 of the Acts of 1908 DEPOSITORS will present their books for verification or comparison during the month of

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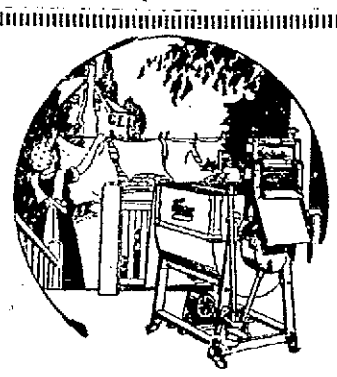

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FRESH EGGS	No. 1 Western, Dozen	42c
John P. Squire's Sugar Cured Very Best	BACON, lb.	42c
	HAMS, lb.	32c
SNOW BERRY TOILET SOAP	7 Bars	25¢
PALM OLIVE TOILET SOAP	3 Bars	25¢
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, 98 lb. Bag		$5.85
BEN HUR FLOUR, Our Big Leader, 98 lb. Bag		$5.70
VEAL to Stew, lb. 12¢ | LAMB to Stew, lb.		15¢
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